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The Muse.

THE LITTLE COFFIN.

We cannot imagine anything more exquisite of the kind than this poem, by Mrs. H. L. Bostwick. It is one of those poems that one cannot see to read through:

'Twas a tiny, rosewood thing,
Eben bound, and glittering
With its stars of silver white,
Silver tablet, blank and bright,
Downy pillowed, satin lined,
That I, loitering, chanced to find,
'Mid the dust, and scent and gloom
Of the undertaker's room,
Waiting, empty—ah! for whom?

Ah! what love-watched cradle bed
Keeps to-night the nestling head,
Or on what soft, pillowing breast
Is the cherub form at rest,
That ere long, with darkened eye,
Sleeping to no lullaby,
Whitely robed, and still, and cold,
Pale flowers slipping from its hold,
Shall this dainty couch enfold?

Ah! what bitter tears shall stain
All this satin sheet like rain,
And what towering hopes be hid
'Neath this tiny coffin lid,
Scarcely large enough to bear
Little words that must be there,
Little words, cut deep and true,
Bleeding mothers' hearts anew—
Sweet pet name, and "AGED TWO!"

Oh! can sorrow's hovering plume
Round our pathway cast a gloom,
Chill and darksome as the shade
By an infant's coffin made?
From our arms an angel flies,
And our startled, dazzled eyes,
Weeping round its vacant place,
Cannot rise its path to trace,
Cannot see the angel face!

The Traveller.

Letter from the East.

Jerusalem—The Holy Sepulcher, the Ancient Temple Wall—Olivet—Newly Discovered Caverns under the City—Bethlehem—Grotto of the Nativity—Cave of Adullum.

Correspondence of the New-York Daily News.

DAMASCUS, Syria, June 1, 1857.

My journey outruns my letters. Camp life affords but little time for correspondence. After a fatiguing day in the saddle, one hurries to the luxury of a hard bed and is soon wrapped in forgetfulness of all things earthly. Thus I have traveled on to this ancient city, having traversed the whole extent of the Holy Land from Beersheba to Dan.

As I remain here some days I will resume my letters. There is little new to be said of Jerusalum—there is no city on earth in which more information has been gathered. Possibly its picture may be as fresh to the minds of your readers as it is in my own. I lingered there a fortnight and never left a city with more regret. Concerning its sacred localities I have nothing new to offer. I made no investigation, and had no theories to establish. While superstition on the one hand has multiplied the holy places, unreasonable prejudice on the other has labored to sap the foundations of many a tradition, unquestionably founded on truth. It is better to believe than doubt; and here, on the altar of Christianity, a kind charity should willingly overlook the faults of some of its followers, while it merits them on the common ground of interest to Him who was its founder.

I went to the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. A burst of music met me as I entered. A pealing organ was ringing and echoing among the domes and vaultings and caverns of this ancient sanctuary. Rich incense floated in the air. A choir of many voices were chanting a latin service. Beneath the great dome a procession of priests with censors, books and tapers was moving with solemn step around a small ornamented structure covering the venerated spot where Christendom has worshipped for at least *fifteen hundred years.* I did not understand the services, but I remarked what appeared the deep solemnity and earnestness of those who were partakers in it. On several occasions I went all over the church, an intricate assemblage of many chapels of very irregular forms and positions, but returned always with great interest to the sepulcher, which, whatever may be thought of the truth of its pretentions, is certainly the most solemn of shrines. This little chamber, but a few feet square, admits but four or five persons at a time. Pilgrims are constantly entering and departing. Noiselessly, with deep awe upon their countenances, they drop upon their knees, and press their lips and foreheads against the plain marble slad that covers the reputed sepulchre of Christ. A number of burning golden lamps hang above the tomb. From time to time a silent priest, constantly in attendance, sprinkles a fragrant shower over the kneeling votaries. Not a word is uttered. So profound is the reverence that even whispered prayers are suppressed. One can almost hear the throbbing of burdened hearts that have borne their sorrows hither, perhaps from the ends of the earth, to lay them down at the grave of the Redeemer. Is it an erring and superstitious feeling that prompts a devotion so ardent? "Christ is not here—He has risen as He said;"—yet an angel voice seems to whisper through the silence, "Come see the place where the Lord lay." All this may be a deception. Perhaps the reverence of ages errs! The true sepulcher may be north or east or west—a hundred or a thousand yards. Who knows? What matters it? No such petty question of locality affects the interest that roots me to this spot. Here, on this very stone, thousands and tens of thousands, for centuries and tens of centuries, have bowed and sobbed and prayed. Kings and beggars—lowly and great—all classes and degrees of men, brought hither by a common impulse, have acknowledged one common faith, and joined in one common petition for a share in His redemption, "who died, and was buried, and rose again." Pretended though it be, is there nothing that attracts us to the Holy Sepulcher?

From the roof of the Governor's house on the site of the Tower of Antonia, I had a clear view directly down into the area of the Mosque of Omar. Moslem bigotry refuses the Christian a close survey. This sacred mosque, reverenced next to that of Mecca, stands without any doubt upon, or very near the site of the great Jewish Santuary. Architectually the building is far from handsome. It reminds one of a locomotive "round house" in a railroad depot. It seems, however, to be richly finished. The plan is an octagon, the central part covered by a dome. The exterior is a mosaic of tiles or colored porcelain. A large open space surrounds the building, planted with trees and furnished with ornamental columns, screens and covered places for prayer. In the latter were numerous turbaned heads bowing in repeated prostrations.

Just outside the northeast angle of this area is the Pool of Bethesda, now dry and partially filled with rubbish. Near by, the Gate of St. Stephen opens upon the valley of the Kedron. Passing out of this gate, and by the scene of the first Christian martyrdom, I walked southerly along the ancient temple wall. Much of the original massive masonry exists in the lower courses, where it was protected by the ruin of the superior parts. The stones are of great size, four to five feet deep, some measuring over twenty feet in length. They are the "great stones, costly stones and hewed stones," laid by King Solomon himself. The whole size of the temple's area is some 1,000 by 1,500 feet. At its southeast angle the ancient masonry is well preserved. Some of the courses here are six feet in depth. The contrast of this solid stonework, with the subsequent patching and completion of the wall, is very striking. Several different epochs of ruin and reconstruction are visible along the wall. The average height of the wall on the south and east side appears about sixty feet. It may have been much loftier formerly, before frequent ruins raised the ground at the base. The "Golden Gate" now built up, is near the centre on the east side. There are two arched portals with richly sculptured architraves. Looking through a loop-hole, I saw vaults and columns within. The construction is very ancient and may with propriety be referred to the time of Herod. Some make it many centuries earlier.

Passing over the dry bed of the brook Kedron and by the alleged tomb of the Virgin and the Garden of Gethsemane, I climbed the steep slope of Olivet by the path leading to Bethany, many a time trodden by the Saviour's feet. Groves of olive trees still cover the face of the hill looking toward the city. Among them the Son of Man used to wander with his disciples. Here he uttered his pathetic lamentations over Jerusalem, and here he prayed in agony on the night in which he was betrayed. Ascending to the summit of the mountain I climbed the turret of a building connected with the ruined church of the Ascension. The north end of the Dead Sea is clearly visible from this point, the desolate mountains of Moab and Ammon, the hills that encompass Jerusalem, and the entire extent of the city itself on the opposite side of the deep glen of Jehoshaphat. This scene, the most suggestive, the most deeply interesting on earth, I will not describe. Who does not know it well. My preconceived idea was only modified by finding the outlines of the landscape (toward the city) less strongly undulating than I expected, and the general face of the country more fully cultivated.

Descending further to the South I passed among the ten thousand Jewish tombs that pave the whole surface of this part of the mountain. In the bottom of the valley are the so-called tombs of Absalom, Zachariah, Jehoshaphat and St. James. They are excavated from the rock much in the Petra style. From thence skirting the south of the city, I entered it by the Zion Gate.

One morning I made the circuit of the walls on the fortifications from the Jaffa Gate northerly to St. Stephens, embracing the principal circuit of the city. This walk gave me a perfect idea of the topography of Jerusalem. I was particularly struck with the depression that runs through it northerly from the Tyropœan to the Damascus Gate, dividing the city into two distinct portions, and with the fact that the temple area is overlooked by all parts of Jerusalem, excepting a small portion of the Jewish quarters. There are large unoccupied areas within the present walls. These are filled with ruins of arches, vaults and massive masonry, more or less buried beneath the accumulations of ages.

With a considerable party, in company with Bishop Gobat, of the English and Prussian Church, I visited the Greek and Armenian Convents. We were formally received and entertained in Oriental style with coffee, pipes, and refreshments. The superior and fathers who did the honors were noble looking old men with venerable white beards. The Armenian Convent is very rich. Its church is superbly ornamented. The doors of the shrines are richly inlaid with pearl and tortoise shell, like the wookwork of St. Bruno's Chapel, near Granada.

Afterwards some of us visited the *newly discovered caverns*, which extend under the city. The entrance is outside the walls, a little east of the Damascus Gate. Entering by a small aperture we found ourselves in an immense chamber, extending by various branches to a great distance. The whole has not yet been explored. The place has the appearance of a natural cavern, enlarged by quarrying. The marks of artificial excavations appear everywhere on the rocks. Immense amounts of stone have been removed from these cavities, but when no one can say. The labyrinthine ramifications extend toward the temple, and may be connected with the subterranean vaultings believed to exist there. It would require no little time or labor to explore these chambers fully, but the investigation would be one of the highest interest. The rock is soft light colored limestone without distinct stratification.

From thence we visited the tombs of the kings. This is a large excavation in the Egyptian style, with numerous diverging chambers containing niches for the dead. Tradition assigns the works to the kings of Judah, though some consider it of the time of the Empress Helena. The small interior chambers of this extensive catacomb were each closed by a stone door opening inward. The broken doors, solid panelled blocks of limestone, still lie in the tombs. They had projecting pivots above and below, fitting into corresponding recesses in the solid rock. The principal entrance into the vaults from the portico was below the level of the floor and apparently concealed. This door is singularly closed. A circular stone about four feet diameter, by fifteen inches thick, *rolls* across it. It stands on edge, fitting into a recess when in place, and into a long channel when opened. The arrangement is interesting as possibly similar to that where the Angel "rolled back the great stone" from the door of the Saviour's sepulcher.

We visited Bethlehem, six miles south. Riding through the little city on the summit of its conspicuous hill, we went to the convent which includes the site of the nativity. Passing through a low iron door, we entered the large church built by Helena 1,500 years ago. It is the oldest Christian church now standing. The building is a large and rich one, somewhat resembling the basilica of Santa Maria Maggiore in Rome.

Thence we descended to the celebrated grotto which lies beneath the chancel of the church. Here in a cave in the original rock is the site which from the earliest ages has been handed down as the stable where the Son of God took upon him our flesh. It is a small chapel, where numerous lamps are kept constantly burning before an altar, beneath which is a silver star bearing this inscription:

"Hic de Virgine Maria Jesus Christus natus est"

There are two other altars in the grotto. One with a marble manger is intended to indicate the spot of the shepherd's adoration, the other that of the Magi. Good pictures hang over the two altars. The other ornaments of the chapel, excepting some lamps of precious metal, are quite plain. Near the grotto of the Nativity is that of St. Jerome, (containing his sepulcher,) where he spent several years of his life and wrote the Vulgate translation of the Scriptures, and where also occurred that "last communion" so vividly painted by Domenichino.

Of the verity of the tradition which fixes the scene of the Nativity in the *grotto* of Bethlehem, but little need be said. The question has been ably examined, and though some still doubt, many are convinced of its truth. The church was built only some 300 years after Christ's crucifixion. The locality of an event like the Messiah's incarnation would not be likely to be lost in so short a time. The City of Bethlehem is a small compact town, and undoubtedly on its original site. This grotto at any rate cannot be *far off* from the manger to which Joseph and the Virgin resorted, because there was no room for them in the inn. The caves in this country are used as pens for cattle and sheep to this day. I have seen them so employed both in Egypt and in the Valley of Jehoshaphat. It is of small profit to dispute about precise localities. On, or very near this spot, occurred that wonderful event which awoke the songs of the angels in Heaven—the promised Messiah, "conceived of the Holy Ghost, was born of the Virgin Mary."

From Bethlehem we pursued our way southerly along the aqueduct of Solomon, which runs on the side of a steep stony valley. In the bottom of this valley, a few miles up, there is an agricultural establishment connected with the English Mission on Mount Zion.—We descended to visit it. The narrow base of the valley is cultivated as a garden, planted with fruit-trees and flowers.

The establishment is designed to cultivate industrious habits among the natives, and to develop the fruitfulness of the country under proper tillage. We took our noon lunch in the garden under the shade of a spreading fig tree, and then set out to visit the cave of Adullum, about an hour and-a-half to the south-east.

The path leads down the same valley. It is very narrow at the bottom, with sides rising rocky and steep. After leaving the gardens there is but a scanty vegetation among ledges and great blocks of limestone which cover the ground. Soon the descent of the valley becomes very great as it begins to plunge downward toward the deep depression of the Dead Sea. Leaving the bottom, now become a wild glen, we followed a sort of goat path along the side, where our mountain ponies scrambled among rocks and loose stones in some difficult and dangerous places.—We left the animals at last at the ruins of an extensive establishment, once perhaps a convent, standing in a wild and desolate spot. It is on a steep hill side, looking down almost perpendicularly into a gulf of several hundred feet.—Wild cliffs rise on the opposite side of the narrow glen, whose windings are seen for some miles below, descending rapidly and filled with mountain debris.

In this strangely savage region the youthful David dwelt when he fled from the hand of Saul. Here he gathered together a company of outlaws, over whom he became a sort of robber captain. Half a mile beyond the ruin, in the side of the precipice along which are the evidences of an ancient road cut in the rock, we came to the cave. A small aperture conducts by several windings into an ample cavern with a lofty roof. Our candles could scarcely send their rays to the rocky ceiling.—Diverging passages lead from this hall, one of which penetrates the mountain a quarter of a mile. The opening in some places is just passable on the hands and knees. There is room in the cavern for the concealment of quite a body of men. The cave of Adullum is mentioned in I Sam, xxii. It is supposed that David composed here the 57th and 142d Psalms.

On our return we descended by a scrambling path, and pursued our way among the loose rocks in the bottom of the valley. After some miles of this difficult travelling, where we were often obliged to dismount and lead our horses, we left the glen by a lateral opening on the north, ascending toward Bethlehem. The country immediately about the city is remarkably well cultivated. The steep hillsides are terraced and planted with figs and olives. At the bottom of the valleys are grain fields. In some of these Ruth the Moabitess followed the reapers of Boaz. In one of the deep vales is pointed out the place where the shepherds received the angelic visitation.

Climbing the hill to Bethlehem by a steep rocky road, we stopped to see the ancient well for whose waters David longed in the wilderness. It stands under an old vaulted portico just outside the town. There are two curbs of marble, much worn by the friction of ropes. A crowd of girls were busy at the well drawing water with little leathern buckets and pouring it into large skins, which they carried off on their shoulders. The scene was quite an Oriental one, and the damsels themselves were many of them very pretty. They were as usual loaded with heavy silver bracelets and with strings of coins on their foreheads. They drew water for us to drink in the patriarchal style, while we stood admiring the simple manners which have existed in this country unchanged since patriarchal days.

On another occasion we took a journey of two days to the northward of Jerusalem, visiting a number of scriptural localities. We slept at Bethel, perhaps on the very ground where Jacob laid down to rest, and where he *dreamed.* The country is a succession of high, stony hills, with but little cultivation. As respects its fertility, Judea is the least inviting portion of Palestine. The villages are nearly all ruins of ancient towns, once strongholds surrounded by walls. They are almost invariably on the summits of hills, located with reference to defence. The population is now small and wretched, living in hovels, or in the half-fallen vaulted houses of their predecessors. The buildings are all of gray limestone, with domed roofs of mud or stone. The men always go armed with guns and swords. The women wear a great deal of ornament, generally composed of numerous silver coins bound in an arch over the head. The little children are good looking, and many of them have remarkably pleasing countenances. Under proper culture they might be trained up into a respectable community.—Their case is almost hopeless, however, under the present government—Moslem bigotry and the unfavorable forms of Christianity in the East.

From Bethel we traveled westward down a deep valley, whose waters flow into the Mediterranean. Down this pass both Joshua and Samuel pursued the routed ranks of the Philistines. We ascended to the upper Bethoron, an ancient fortress on the sharp summit of a projecting knob. The view from hence is very broad to the westward, the central chain of hills that runs through Palestine breaking off here suddenly nearly 2,000 feet. The ranges far to north and south across the lowlands, including the plain of Sharon and the land of the Philistines, bounded by the sea at the distance of some thirty miles. On this lofty elevation the conquering Joshua is thought to have stood when he commanded the sun to stand still upon Gibeon and the moon in the Valley of Ajalon. The latter is a green valley distinctly visible to the west; the former a small town some miles off to the southeast.

I have no room to give you an account of my journey to the Dead Sea without swelling this letter to an unpardonable length. I reserve it, therefore, as well as some notes of my further ramblings through Holy Land, and of Damascus, which is a queer place, the most thoroughly oriental of all the cities of the East, for another occasion. "H."

Miscellaneous.

Editorship.

We have known a very learned gentleman to obligingly bring us a contribution with the remark, that as we were continually occupied, it must doubtless be quite an accommodation to receive a good article once in awhile—and on examining the "good" article in question, we have found three gross grammatical errors, divers sins of awkwardness, and two words mispelled in the first and second sentences. A lecture, which will bear printing as it is delivered, is an exception; and, in a word, there are very few men, who have not served a regular apprenticeship in the types, who can sit down, and, without "halt or let," express their thoughts readily and fluently in writing. Yet, with all this, we daily meet with gentlemen who, because they have made an occasional *hit* in a letter to a friend, or have elaborated a drawling story or poem in some incautious paper, talk dashingly of journalism, and graciously inform us how *they* would make things fly round, if they were only editors.

Singular—every man, no matter how stupid he is, always seems to be morally convinced that if everything else fails, he can either manage a small farm or edit a paper—and experience shows that where there are a hundred educated young men capable of successfully practicing a profession, there is not more than one or two who is really enough of a genius, a scholar, and a man of practical sense, to make a good editor. In fact, though all the world reads papers, there are very few out of the business who have ever taken the pains to acquire much information relative to it—and the natural consequence is, that its difficulties are unappreciated.—*Boston Investigator.*

One of the Wants not Supplied.—The New York Post, referring to the abundance of good food produced in the United States, and the scarcity of individuals competent to prepare it for the table as it ought to be prepared, says:

"We want schools for cooks as much as for physicians; even more, for people want to eat every day, but they only want a doctor occasionally; and they would want one much less frequently if they were better fed, that is, if their food were better prepared. How often does it happen that the professing cooks know how to make good bread or to boil a good potato or a cabbage? It is as much as a man's life is worth to travel through the interior and less frequented portions of our western country, so apt are they at spoiling the produce of the soil in preparing it for the table. In three months a man or woman of fair intelligence could be taught more of the art of preparing the gifts of Providence for the nutriment of man than is possessed by ninty-nine hundredths of the most experienced of our American cooks. Who will move in the matter? Who is prepared to take his rank among our great national benefactors by setting such an institution in motion?"

☞ Marshall Castallane, a rigid disciplinarian, called out the garrison of Lyons one sultry day and made them go through all the movements and incidents of a pitched battle on a small scale. In the midst of terrible volleys of musketry, executed at his orders, he observed two grenadiers who, overpowered by the heat and by exertion, had quietly fallen on the grass. He immediately rode up to them, bursting with rage, and exclaimed, "You cowardly scoundrels, what are you doing here? While your comrades are fighting, you are sleeping! Actually doing nothing!" "I beg your pardon, Marshal," said one of the grenadiers, "we are acting the slain in the battle." The Marshal smiled and turned his horse.

☞ "You have no ducks here?" said a Yankee, who was on a visit to the fens of Lincolnshire during the shooting season. "I was on the Chespeake once in the duck season. The boys got tired of shooting with their double-barrels, and we got a cannon from the town, loaded with a bag of B B shot, hauled her to the river, levelled her and fired. I tell you ducks was thar! We gathered three thousand, and the crippled got away. But that was not all, for the bag the shot was in fell over the head of a greyhead when it came out of the cannon, and I caught him before he got clear."

☞ By the year two thousand, it is probable that manual labor will have utterly ceased under the sun, and the occupation of the adjective "hard-fisted,' will have gone forever. They have now a potato-digging machine, which, drawn by horses down the rows, digs the potataes, separates them from the dirt, and loads them up in the cart, while the owner walks along side, whistling, with his hands in his pockets.

☞ A Judge charging a jury had occasion very frequently to make use of of the words *mortgager* and *mortgagee.* The foreman of the jury asked the judge the meaning of the words, candidly confessing he did not know their import. His lordship facetiously explained them thus:

"I NOD to you—you notice me;
I'm the NOD-ER, you the NOD-EE."

Brigham Young a New Yorker.

Both Brigham Young and Heber C. Kimball are New Yorkers. Brigham lived near the line dividing Ontario and Monroe counties, in the town of Victor, at the time he became a Mormon. He had always manifested a proclivity to religious fanaticism, or rather he was a lazy rapscallion, good for nothing except to howl at a camp meeting. He lived in a log shanty, with a dilapidated, patient, suffering wife, surrounded by a host of tow-headed children. Occasionally he made up a lot of axe helves and traded them off for sugar and tea; in other fits of industry he would do a day's work in the hay field for a neighbor, hoe the potatoes in his own little patch, or pound clothes for his wife on a washing day. But his special mission was to go to camp meetings and revivals, were he managed to get his daily bread out of the more wealthy brethern, in consideration of the unction with which he shouted "ga-lor-ah!"—On such occasions Brigham took no thought of the morrow, but cheerfully putting on his old wool hat, would leave his family without flour in the barrel or wood at the door, and telling his wife that the "Lord would provide," he would put off for a week's absence.

Poor Mrs. Brigham managed by borrowing from her neighbors, with the small hope of paying; chopped the wood herself, and with an old sun-bonnet—Navarino style—went to the spring after water, thoroughly convinced that her lot was not of the easiest, and that her husband was, to use a western expression, an "ornary cuss," in which sentiment all who knew him joined.—People were getting very tired of Brigham when Mormonism turned up. He was just the man for the religion, and the religion seemed expressly adapted to him. He became an exhorter, held neighborhood meetings, ranted and howled his doctrines into the minds of others as weak as himself, and finally went west with the rest of them, where he has developed his powers, until the poor, miserable, rustic loafer is governor of a territory and the chief prophet of a great religious sect. He has just the mixture of shrewdness and folly which is required for success in fanaticism or quackery. A wiser man could not hold his place. A man must be half fool and half knave to be a successful quack.

Heber C. Kimball was a man of more respectability. He was born a fanatic, and if he were not a Mormon would be something else just like it. In his church—he was a Baptist originally—he was one of those pestilent fellows who want resolutions passed at church meetings withholding fellowship from somebody else, and insist on having a political codicil added to the Bible.—We believe he had some property. He has much more talent than Brigham Young, but is inferior to him in the elements of quackery. He has very respectable relatives now living in the part of Monroe county from which he started.

A Hen House Ravisher.—In Albany a few days since, a hen house belonging to a Mr. Phelps, was broken into and robbed. Mr. Phelps being angry, allowed that he would "lay for the thief," and shoot him. This drew out the following reply:

To Mr. Orsin Felps:—Bein one of that are clas that gits poltry anny way it can be got, and understandin from your advertisement in a newspaper that you have sum chickens left, and that you'd got a pistol and sum blu pil to give to the man what stole 'em, this is to certify that I shall come to-night, and I have got a howitzer with me crammed full of nales, tax and other iron implments. I hav marked your size on the side of a church, and been practisin on it for a week, and don't think I can miss you. So cum on with your pistil and blu pil. After I get through firing at you, I'll carry home the "duds" on the howitzer. Yours,

A HEN HOUSE RAVISHER.

One Ind of the Railroad In.—An Alabamian, a few days since, went out to see the depot of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad. Near the depot were several Irish draymen. Thinking to quiz them, he shouted to one—

"Has the railroad got in?"

"One ind has, sir," was the prompt response.

☞ A woman is either worth a good deal or nothing. If good for nothing, she is not worth getting jealous for; if she be a true woman, she will give no cause for jealousy. A man is a brute to be jealous of a good woman—a fool to be jealous of a worthless one; but is a double fool to cut his throat for either of them.

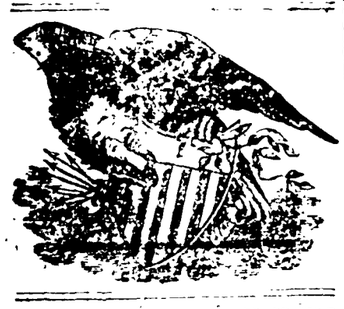
☞ Widow Grizzle's husband lately died of cholera. In the midst of the most acute bodily pain, after the hand of death had touched him, and while writhing in agony, his gentle wife said to him, "Well, Mr. Grizzle, you needn't kick round so, and wear all the sheets out, if you *are* dying!"

☞ Some "queer fish" in St. Louis, in allusion to the "bill for the benefit of married women" before the Missouri Legislature, asked if they had better not do something for the benefit of the single ladies, and not trouble themselves about other men's wives.

☞ Punch says that every family ought to keep a kitten to amuse the children. They should also keep children to amuse the kitten.

☞ A philosopher who had married a vulgar but amiable girl, used to call her "Brown Sugar," because, he said, she was sweet, but unrefined!

The Compiler.



H. J. STABLE, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

GETTYSBURG, PA.

Monday Morning, Aug. 24, 1857.

DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS.

FOR GOVERNOR,

WILLIAM F. PACKER, of Lycoming.

CANAL COMMISSIONER,

NIMROD STRICKLAND, of Chester.

JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT,

WILLIAM STRONG, of Berks,
JAMES THOMPSON, of Erie.

County Committee.

The members of the Democratic Standing Committee of Adams county are requested to meet at Wattles's Hotel, in Gettysburg, ON SATURDAY, THE 5TH OF SEPTEMBER NEXT, at one o'clock, P. M. A full attendance is desired. H. J. STABLE, *Chairman.*

☞ The following persons compose the Committee: H. J. Stable, Chairman, Jacob Troxel, Jno. Butt, Jr., Capt Henry Wittmer, Peter Robbitt, Abraham Krise, of P., Joseph P. McDivit, Isaac Hersher, Maj Samuel Lohr, Jacob Rafensperger, Wm Overdeer, Jacob C. Pittenturf, Wm. B. Gardner, Henry A. Picking, Col J. J. Kuhn, Geo. Flickinger, Henry Mayer, Anthony Felix, Jacob Cashman, John Bentley, Sr., Daniel Grosselman, Amos Lefever and Joseph Fisher. Aug 24, 1857.

☞ Gen. W. F. PACKER, the Democratic candidate for Governor, will address the people at the Court-house in York this evening.

☞ Col. JACOB M. KUNKLE, of Frederick, has been nominated as the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Frederick, Washington and Cumberland district, Md. He is a gentleman of sterling qualities, an eloquent orator, and a Democrat of the sternest kind.

☞ HUGH STEWART, Esq., has been nominated for the Legislature by the Democracy of "old mother Cumberland."

Nominations.—The Democrats of York county have made the following nominations:

Assembly—William W. Wolf and A. Hiestand Glatz; commissioner—Daniel Meisenhelter; auditor—Zachariah B. Heindel; director—Thomas G. Cross; sheriff—Samuel Forscht; coroner—Dr. David S. Peffer; treasurer—John Stonch; prothonotary—Dr. H. G. Bussey; register—A. M. Hershey; clerk of the courts—John Reeser; recorder—George Wehrly.

☞ A business letter from a friend at Peoria, Illinois, dated August 16th, contains the following:

"Democracy all right here.

"We have had very *wet* weather for the last few weeks, but now pleasant. The corn crop looks fair for an abundant yield, and other grain is very good. The farmers are rushing their grain into market as fast as they can get it threshed. Our streets are filled with wagons, which makes things look brisk."

A Close Share.—It is still a matter of doubt who is elected Governor of Missouri. The St. Louis Republican of the 16th instant says that Rollins is 16 votes ahead in 110 counties, leaving six counties to be heard from. This is decidedly a very close shave.

ST. LOUIS, August 19.—The latest advices, received to-day, are favorable to the Democrats, who are generally conceded to have elected their Governor.

☞ Nothing has transpired in the world of politics since the election of Mr. Buchanan to the Presidency, which gives us as much gratification to record as the glorious victory over Know Nothingism achieved by the gallant son of Henry Clay. In a district, which, two years ago, gave a Know Nothing majority of SIXTEEN HUNDRED, and last fall gave Fillmore and Donelson six hundred over Buchanan and Breckinridge, James B. Clay is triumphantly elected. Braving all the slander and vituperation heaped upon him by his unscrupulous political enemies—turning neither to the right nor to the left to regard the unmanly assaults of his persecutors—he has won a triumph which will give additional lustre to the sacred name of CLAY. Let all true friends of the Union and the Constitution rejoice that the dark shadow of Know Nothing Plug Uglyism is dispelled from the fields of Ashland.

☞ The Alabama Legislature, just elected, is divided politically as follows: The Senate stands twenty-eight Democrats to five Know Nothings, and the House eighty-five Democrats to fifteen Know Nothings. Democratic majority on joint ballot, NINETY-THREE!

☞ Three enterprising citizens of Harrisburg, Messrs. James Worrall, J. J. Dull and A. J. Jones, have purchased the old Franklin Railroad, and will re-lay it with heavy T rail.

☞ The *Farm Journal*, of Philadelphia, has been discontinued, and the New York *American Agriculturist* will be sent to subscribers in its place. Messrs. Emlen & Co. published a good Journal, and regret that they did not meet sufficient patronage. We trust the *American Agriculturist* will be patronized and sustained.

☞ S. D. ANDERSON, Esq., a political writer of much power, has become sole editor of the Philadelphia *Pennsylvanian*.

State Politics.

Gen. Wm. F. Packer, the Democratic candidate for Governor, will shortly address the people at various points. He will appear before them under the most auspicious circumstances. On every issue he will be impregnable. Beginning with the federal administration, he can point friend and foe to the general welcome that awaited its induction, and has accompanied its calm and constitutional progress. On the Kansas question he is armed with the results of experience. On State policy he can point to the banishment of a worthless paper currency as a triumph of Democratic statesmanship. On the Tariff question, he can refer to the settled and successful experiment of impartial and general legislation. These (very truly remarks *The Press*) are the substantials of the feast he will spread before his hearers. There will be none of the *persiflage* of a mere ranter in his speeches; none of the noise of an aspirant for public favor who has nothing to refer to but professions. We felicitate General Packer upon the easy triumph before him.

Gen. Packer Speaking to the People.—We perceive that some of our cotemporaries are exercised because Gen. Wm. F. Packer, under the instructions of the Democratic State Committee, has conceived it to be his duty to decline the invitation of David Wilmot, the K. N. Republican candidate for Governor, to a public discussion. Some ridiculous contrasts have been drawn in consequence of Gen. Packer's declension. The mere fact that the Democratic candidate for Governor has not deemed it proper to meet his Republican opponent in joint discussion has suggested to certain objectors the example set by *Governor Bigler in his memorable* canvasses of '51 and '54, and that of Governor Wise, of Virgina, in 1854, and also the Presidential campaign of 1856. If these objectors will look carefully at the instances we have cited, they will find that in no one case has the proposition for a joint discussion been agreed upon by opposing candidates. Mr. Wise canvassed the State of Virginia *alone*, as did his opponent Mr. Floarney. In 1856 the advocates of Republicanism took one range of counties and the advocates of Democracy another. But this is not all. Wherever opposing candidates travel and speak together, which is customary in some of the Southern States, personal collisions are almost certain to follow. In the very last contest in Tennessee, and in several of the districts in Kentucky, the most unhappy conflicts ensued on account of these joint meetings. General Packer, advised by the Democratic State Central Committee, has declined meeting an adversary beforehand. This is all he has done. Mr. Wilmot sought a joint meeting, with nothing to lose by it. He placed all his hopes upon the hazard of the die, and if defeated in the end, would not be more politically ruined than he was at the beginning. The Democratic candidate does not decline meeting the people face to face, everywhere and always. He simply abstains from giving his opponent an opportunity, which, while it could not serve any great public purpose, or advance any public good, might still further irritate the minds of the people on a question which, in the opinion of all honest men, was happily put at rest by the result of the late Presidential election.

We have already announced that Gen. Packer will appear before the people of the different counties of the State between now and the election, and will give all his opponents an opportunity of hearing what he has to say.

Can't Swallow Negroes Whole.—The Wilmington *Herald*, a staunch Republican paper in Illinois, which has swallowed all the other isms of the party without a bone sticking in the throat, has not the anaconda-like property of gulping down "negro equality," though covered with the saliva of "brudderly" feeling and mock philanthropy, previous to deglutition. The editor says: "Whenever negro suffrage becomes one of the planks of the Republican platform, we shall feel free to seek some other political organization, and we think we should find most of our Republican brethren in the same way."

Gross Malpractice.—A prosecution was some time ago instituted against the Commercial Bank of Philadelphia for charging a greater rate of interest than it is permitted to do by its charter. But about the time the case was to be tried, Attorney General Franklin stepped in and entered a *nolle prosequi*—discontinued the suit! Banks are scarcely capable of a more injurious or villainous violation of law than that charged against this Bank, yet the Attorney General shields it from punishment while he admits its guilt, upon the ground that it has promised not to do so again—a promise any detected criminal would make to avoid punishment! Verily it is time to have a Democratic Governor.

☞ The Philadelphia *Sun* is working itself into a perspiration! It says to the working men of the State, "if you love freedom and free labor, vote for Wilmot and wages; but if you think that slavery should be extended, and the laborer shorn of his hire, do not waste your vote on Hazlehurst, who cannot possibly be elected, but vote directly for Packer and no pay." We call that tall talk—enthusiastic and excitable, like the gentleman who headed a line of fire buckets, and as fast as they were passed to him he threw the buckets and all into the fire, crying all the while, "pass on the buckets!"

☞ An elderly maiden lady requests of the Boston *Post* the insertion of the following:—"Bad taste—Pretty young girls kissing widowers' children." She supposes it would lead to kissing the fathers.

Local Matters.

Court Doings.

The Court attracted a goodly number of people to town. The session occupied but four days, adjourning on Thursday evening. The Associate Judges, however, held Court on Saturday, to attend to some license and road business.

Most of the civil cases were continued, and several on the criminal calendar settled without trial. The only case tried in the Common Pleas was the *Quo Warranto* inquiring into the legality of the last election for Managers of the Gettysburg Railroad Company. The case occupied a day and a half, when the jury, after being out a very short time, found that Messrs. Irwin and Taylor were entitled to 227 votes at the time of the election, and rendered a verdict for the Respondents—the present Board.

A motion for a new trial was filed by the Counsel of the Relators—to be argued at the next Orphan's Court.

IN QUARTER SESSIONS.

COM. VS. WM. COX—Indictment for Larceny—verdict not guilty.

COM. VS. A. M. TOWNSLY—Indictment for Larceny—verdict Guilty, with a recommendation to the mercy of the Court. Sentenced to 30 days imprisonment.

GEORGE JACKSON plead Guilty on Indictment for stealing a horse, the property of David Shultz, and was sentenced to 19 months' imprisonment in the Eastern Penitentiary.

MARIA DECKER plead guilty on an Indictment for Fornication, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $1 and costs.

JOSEPH MARTIN plead guilty to an Indictment for selling Liquor without license, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $10 and costs, and be imprisoned for 30 days.

Tavern License was granted to JACOB MARTIN, New Oxford.

The Gettysburg Railroad

Is a "fixed fact"—*certain*—SURE! The laying of the Rails is now in progress, and by the time this paragraph is printed the workmen will have put down nearly a mile of the track, in perfect running order. A party of half a dozen citizens of this place, happening at Hanover, the other day, took a ride upon a hand car, over the finished part, and being ourself one of the number, we can testify to the happy feelings created in all by the "excursion." The "Iron Horse" will most probably be seen *upon the Gettysburg Railroad* by Wednesday next—to increase steadily in length of trips until this place shall be reached. It is contemplated that by the first of October, or soon after, the cars will run to New Oxford.

The Contractors, in accordance with the wish of the Company, have ordered additional forces of workmen upon the grading of the road, so that the track-layers may not be delayed at any point. Great credit is due the management for accomplishing so much under the circumstances.

New Court House.

The Grand Jury, last week, approved, by a vote of 18 to 4, of the finding of the April Grand Jury, in favor of a new Court-house—the cost not to exceed $15,000, with the old Court-house and County Building. A handsome and sufficiently commodious edifice will doubtless be secured with the means thus indicated, and the whole will be paid off in a few years without the least increase in the county tax. To use a common expression, the tax-payers "won't feel it"—except in the way of comfort when in attendance at Courts. The Commissioners will soon be looking around for a suitable site, and when determined upon, make the necessary preliminary arrangements for the putting up of the building.

Personal.

With Tuesday last expired *twelve* years since we entered upon possession of the *Compiler* establishment. Its prosperity has been steadily on the increase, as the, from time to time, improved appearance of the paper has demonstrated. And with still increasing patronage, our numerous friends and patrons may rely upon our utmost efforts to deserve it. To work, with whatever of earnestness we may possess, for the diffusion of the time-tried and therefore time-honored principles of the Democratic party, we have ALWAYS looked upon as a DUTY, and have never been slow to discharge it. That our efforts in this behalf are appreciated, the large subscription list of the *Compiler* will testify.—For this state of things we are heartily grateful, and shall strive to merit its continuance.

☞ The "Independent Blues" were encamped at Black's Dam during Friday and Saturday last, and enjoyed themselves finely. They returned to town on Saturday evening, no doubt regretting that the "good time" had come to a close.

☞ A Letter from the East, of a decidedly interesting character—at least the reading of it was so to us—will be found on the first page of this morning's *Compiler*.

☞ "Have you a sister? Then love and cherish her with friendship."—*Warnock.*

If you haven't a sister, take somebody else's sister, give the man a brother-in-law in return, treat the lady handsomely, take the *Compiler* and be happy.

A New Band.

We understand, and it affords us pleasure to make the announcement, that a Brass Band is about being organized in this place. Gettysburg has heretofore boasted of its good Bands, and the one now "on the carpet" will doubtless prove *ditto*. We wish it all success, and may have more to say of it hereafter. It will most probably be connected with the "Independent Blues," after full organization.

☞ We trust our Democratic friends everywhere will lend their local newspapers the most generous encouragement; they should all regard it as obligatory upon them not only to subscribe personally, but to use all their influence to induce others to swell the list. Every Democratic newspaper circulated in its county, is a missionary going out to make converts to the true political faith. Where the Democratic press is best supported, there we always look for the largest Democratic majorities.—*Pennsylvanian.*

Black Republican Difficulty.

It appears that the Black Republican party in Mercer county have got into "a perfect muss." The party is split up and the editor of the *Freeman* is out against the ticket. He says that it was nominated through fraud. Now this is what every one outside of that party expected; for the party itself was started in fraud, and has sustained its original character "to perfection."

The Senatorial Conferees from Mercer, Venango and Lawrence, "after long and protracted labor," succeeded in nominating a Mr. Francis, of Lawrence, as a candidate for the Senate, and then repudiated him, it is believed, because he was born in a foreign country, and hence could not, with *propriety*, be supported by the Know Nothing wing of the party. He must certainly have an exalted opinion of his own civil and political position in society, if he will still cling to the party that will thus meanly repudiate him.

But here again we see the glorious workings of that fusion compound, called a party. After the *nomination* was fairly made, an after thought came up,—that it was not a *judicious one*, and there being no moral obligation in *their* way, the Conferees repudiated their own act, and we believe they are yet without a candidate.—*Crawford Democrat.*

Dreadful Steamboat Accident.

Thirteen Men, Women and Children Drowned.—A collision took place at two o'clock on Saturday morning between the steamer Metropolis, Captain Brown, of the Fall River Line, and the propeller J. N. Harris, Captain Smith, on her way from New York to New London, Conn., which resulted in a sad loss of life. The *Express*, of Saturday afternoon, has the following account of the disaster:

When just off New Haven, about two o'clock this A. M., a vessel with one light was observed ahead, and under sails, crossing the steamer's bow. The pilot of the Metropolis supposed her to be a sailing vessel, as she showed but one light, which is the regulation for sailing vessels, steamers carrying two. When too near to prevent a collision it was found that the stranger was a steamer. The pilot of the Metropolis having steered his vessel as usual when meeting sailing vessels—in case of steamers the movements being different—it was too late to change the course after the observing of the fact that the strange vessel was a steamer.

The engines of the Metropolis were immediately stopped, but before they could be reversed, and the vessel backed, she struck the other steamer on the port side, just forward of the cabin—the force of the blow being such as to cut the stranger in two, the heavy part of the vessel going down immediately, and the lighter portions of the wreck floating off.

At this moment the scene was a most heart-rending one. Most of the passengers of the Metropolis where up, enjoying the fine moonlight scene, and many of them had watched, with terrible anxiety and apprehension, the anticipated collision, and when the collision seemed inevitable, the shrieks of the ladies on board, and the fright of all, appalled the stoutest heart.

The shock of the Metropolis was severe. A passenger on board—George Tappan, a crockery merchant of New Bedford—was so frightened that he was taken with a fit and died in it. His wife, in view of her bereavement, immediately went into hysterics, upon recovering from which she seemed to have lost all sense and realization of the death of her husband—her senses seemed to be gone, and no recollection of the death seemed to remain. The commiserating passengers did not dare to distress her by a reminder, and she remains unconscious this morning of Mr. Tappan's death.

As soon as something like order was restored on board the Metropolis, the boats were sent out, and immediately manned by the crew, and every possible exertion made to save the few who had escaped the wreck of the sunken vessel, and were hanging on the floating pieces of the wreck.

By this means 10 men of the ill-fated vessel were saved—five passengers, the captain, two engineers, and two of the deck hands.

Capt. Smith, when taken out of the water, immediately insisted on joining in the endeavor to rescue any others who might be floating on the pieces of wreck, and continued with others in the search all night. But the above are all, out of *twenty-five* souls on board, that were saved.

Deaths at York, Pa.—Gen. Jacob Barnitz, an honored citizen of York, Pa., died on the 18th inst., aged nearly 70 years. Jonathan Jessup, Esq. another respected citizen of the same place, and a leading member of the Society of Friends, was found dead in his bed on the 18th inst., aged over 80 years.

The Nebraska Delegate.—Chapman, Dem., has been re-elected as delegate to Congress from Nebraska.

From the Crawford Democrat.

Beautiful Extracts from Wilmot's Letter.

For the edification of our readers, we this week will give some choice extracts from Judge Wilmot's letter, accepting the Know Nothing platform, together with such comments as may be necessary in the way of explanation. His malignant spirit finds vent for its philanthropic impulses, in directing his vengeance upon the members of the Catholic Church. In speaking of the church itself, he says:

"But that a Priestly Order, invested by the Laity with a mysterious sacredotal character—with pretentions to extraordinary spiritual powers—bound together by strong ties, and acknowledging at their head a foreign potentate—that such an order should enter the field of politics, control our elections, and influence the policy of our government, is surely cause for alarm, and should awaken the zealous vigilance of the American people."

We would ask, when and where has "such an order" entered the field of politics, and as a body, sought to control our elections and rule the government? The history of our country answers, nowhere. They, as well as the notorious Wilmot, have a right to vote as they think best, so long as they keep within the bounds prescribed by law. And because they had sufficient common sense and patriotic feelings, to guide them aright in the selection of a party to which they would give their support, they must be cursed and proscribed by the factionist Wilmot. But the beauty of all this is the fact, that he charges as a crime upon the Catholics, a course of conduct which has ever characterized the Know Nothing party, into whose arms he has thrown himself with frantic despair. It was bound together, not only by the common ties of a society, but by the most infamous oaths.—It, to be sure, is not controlled by a foreign potentate—the *Devil*, for it has long since domesticated him, first in its public acts. Its aim was the control of the entire government, and that too, by secret and fraudulent means. Yet with all its character open before him, Wilmot, in the hour of despair, as a last resort, leaps upon its platform and declares himself as good an *American* as any of its members.

"We see the American people divided on a momentous issue. The principles of human freedom or bondage are *brought in direct conflict*. Man's inalienable right to life and liberty is denied. The doctrine is openly asserted by those who *hold* the government in their hands, that God created the mass of mankind to be slaves."

Here is Wilmot out in his true character. He is a *great* man and never deals in trifles. But he is really a dangerous man only among fanatics like himself, who will believe his horrible falsifications. He deals in such generalities and wholesale charges against the Democratic party, that no man, unless one after his own heart, will ever give the least credence to them. He knew when he was penning the last sentence of the preceding extract, that it was an unmitigated falsehood, manufactured deliberately from his own infamous brain, for the express purpose of crushing the Democratic party. And, although it falls harmless at their feet, it still shows no less of that fiendish inhumanity of purpose, which ever characterizes the murderer of the reputation as well as of the body. Who could ever feel safe with such a man at the head of the State government. Yet the people of Pennsylvania are called upon by the exercise of that power vested in them by the constitution and laws of the State, to place this wholesale defamer—this ranting hypocrite about Slavery and Catholicism—at the head of our government, to control its executive department and wield its powers for the accomplishment of his villainous purposes as portrayed in the past history of his life, and especially in his recent letter to the Know Nothings. Will they, can they do it?

While on the other hand, the Democratic party have placed before the people a candidate every way worthy their support, for the chief office of the State. His long political career in the State has made him perfectly familiar with its entire operations. He is clothed with the wisdom of experience, guided by an enlightened judgment and actuated by the best and purest motives. He does not have to wander off to Kansas for material to place himself in power. He takes his stand upon the broad platform of State Rights, points to the vital interests of our own State, as worthy of our first attention, and under the strong pledges to strictly guard with watchful diligence, her every interest, asks the support of his fellow citizens. And he will receive it most cheerfully.

☞ *Holloway's Pills.*—Armed with this great antidote the traveller is prepared to encounter all varieties of climate, for he has the means of eradicating nearly every species of internal disease. The endemics of the alluvial districts of the West and the miasmatic swamps of the South, and the epidemics which at particular seasons decimate the population of our crowded cities, are susceptible of being controlled by the purifying, disinfecting action of the pills upon the animal fluids; while external diseases and injuries are rapidly and thoroughly cured by the anti-inflammatory and healing agency of the ointment.

Market Reports.

Corrected from the latest Baltimore, York & Hanover papers.

Baltimore—Friday last.		
Flour, per barrel,	$6 68 @	6 75
Wheat, per bushel,	1 30 @	1 65
Rye, "	85 @	1 00
Corn, "	86 @	88
Oats, "	37 @	45
Beef Cattle, per hund.,	7 50 @	9 75
Hogs, "	9 00 @	9 75
Hay, per ton,	14 00 @	21 00
Whiskey, per gallon,	29 @	30
Guano, Peruvian, per ton,		65 00
Hanover—Thursday last.		
Flour, per bbl., from wagons,		$6 75
Do. " from stores,		7 50
Wheat, per bushel,	1 20 @	1 50
Rye, "		85
Corn, "		75
Oats, "		33
Cloverseed, "		6 00
Timothy, "		2 50
Plaster, per ton,		6 50
York—Friday last.		
Flour, per bbl., from wagons,		$6 25
Do., " from stores,		7 50
Wheat, per bushel,	1 60 @	1 75
Rye, "		85
Corn, "		75
Oats, "		35
Cloverseed, "		6 50
Timothy, "		3 50
Plaster, per ton,		6 50

☞ *Rats, Roaches, Bed-bugs, Insects, &c.*—"Costar's" Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator; "Costar's" Bed-bug Exterminator; "Costar's" Electric Powder, for Ants, Insects, &c. (The only infallible remedies known.) "Costar" sends by mail, pre-paid, a sample box of the Rat, Roach, &c. Ex. to any address in the U. S. on the receipt of $1, or the Electric Powder for 65c. (The Bed-bug Ex., being a liquid, cannot be sent by mail.)

"Costar" will furnish Druggists, Dealers and Storekeepers, a $10 sample package of his various preparations (assorted) with circulars, bills, posters, &c. on receipt of $5, (leaving bal. of $5 due when sold,) in order that they may test their merits.

☞ See advertisement. For Circulars, &c., address "COSTAR," No. 383 Broadway, New York.

☞ Prof. Wood, the renowned discoverer of the invaluable "Hair Restorative," still continues to labor in behalf of the afflicted. His medicines are universally admired by the American press to be far superior to all others for causing the hair, on the head of the aged, to grow forth with as much vigor and luxuriance as when blessed with the advantages of youth. There can be no doubt, if we place credit in the innumerable testimonials which the Professor has in his possession, that it is one of the greatest discoveries in the medical world. It restores, permanently, gray hair to its original color, and makes it assume a beautiful silky texture, which has been very desirable in all ages of the world. It frequently happens that old men marry beautiful and amiable young ladies, and not unfrequently crusty old maids make victims of handsome, good-natured young gentlemen, and by what process it has never been determined, until lately, when it was attributed to the use of this invaluable Hair Restorative.—*Lavalle Journal.*

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS. Aug. 24. 2w

☞ There are hundreds of remedies sold at every Drug Store, purporting to cure all diseases nameable, each advertised as the very best ever known, till we had lost all faith in them all, but there is one exception.

We speak of Dr. Sanford's Invigorator, which came to us recommended as a cure for Liver Complaints and all diseases arising from a Diseased Liver. The testimonials of so many of our Physicians in its favor, induced us to try it, and now conviction is certain that it is one of the greatest blessings ever given to Dyspeptics, for it made a complete cure before the first bottle was taken, and now we can eat anything eatable without trouble, while before nothing but the lightest food would digest, and often that gave pain. Now what we want to say to our readers is, if Liver Complaint or Dyspepsia trouble you, do not fail to try this the greatest remedy in the world.

☞ A. D. Buehler, Agent for Gettysburg; Wm. Berlin, Hanover; and Charles R. Henry, Abbottstown. Aug. 24. 1m

☞ *The Big Safe*, measuring 5½ feet high, by 4½ feet wide, and weighing 4,300 pounds, has been attracting much attention at the office of the FARMER'S AND MECHANIC'S SAVINGS INSTITUTION, in S. W. corner of the public square. Everybody nearly in town has been to see it. Our friends from the country have been and are still dropping in, to see this, *the largest Safe ever brought into the county.*

This Safe furnishes another ground for confidence to depositors. The *security* for the deposits they make is of the same character, and as extensive as those afforded by a bank to its depositors, the stockholders in the one and the other being in the same manner liable. The safe keeping of the monies and the security to depositors thus afford a *double safe guard* to those thinking of depositing their monies *where, instead of lying idle, they will produce interest—in the Savings Institution.*

Marriages

On Tuesday last, at St. Joseph's Church, by the Rev. R. Caperzutti, Mr. WM. F. LANSINGER, of Littlestown, to Miss CECILIA JOSEPHINE, daughter of Mr. William Tyson, of Emmitsburg.

[☞ A slice of the wedding cake was duly received. We tender our thanks, and offer up aspirations for the health, happiness and long life of the newly-wedded couple.]

On the 15th of May, 1856, by the Rev. Mr. Bishop, Mr. DAVID STEWARD to Miss MARGARET MUSSELMAN, both of Hamiltonban township, Adams county.

On the 13th inst., by the Rev. Jacob Ziegler, Mr. DANIEL LITTLE, of Gettysburg, to Miss MARTHA J. HARPER, of Cumberland township.

On the 20th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Bushman, DAVID Z. WAGNER to HARRIET HUMMER, both of Butler township.

Deaths

On the 17th inst., Mr. JACOB LITTLE, (Postmaster,) of Mountjoy township, aged 71 years and 5 months.

On Wednesday last, AMANDA ELIZABETH, daughter of Mr. Uriah Wagoner, of Tyrone township, aged 6 years 7 months and 19 days—being the third of his children recently carried off by, we believe, dysentery.

On the 6th inst., ANNA MARY, daughter of William and Lucinda Miller, of Menallen township, aged 3 months and 11 days.

On the 19th inst., MILTON HUMMEL, son of Mr. Samuel Cover, of Franklin township, aged 1 year 6 months and 12 days.

On the 13th inst., AMELIA ELIZABETH BRICKER, daughter of Daniel and Anna Maria Bricker, of Tyrone township, aged 8 years and 5 months.

On the same day, LYDIAN ALICE, daughter of Peter and Anna Maria Fidler, of Tyrone township, aged 3 years 7 months and 9 days.

On the —— inst., MARTHA REBECCA, daughter of Samuel and Anna Eaber, of Butler township, aged 2 months and 19 days.

A Valuable Farm,

AT PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrators of the estate of PHILIP THOMAS, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Tuesday, the 15th day of September next*, the following property of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

situate in Straban township, Adams county, within 1½ miles of the Gettysburg and Hanover Railroad, and the same distance from the Gettysburg and York Turnpike, adjoining lands of Christian Thomas, David Monfort, Henry Thomas, and others, containing **148 Acres**, more or less, about 40 acres of which are first rate Timber-land, with a due proportion of Meadow. The improvements are a large Two-story Stone HOUSE, Stone Kitchen and Smoke House attached, Double Log Barn, Stable, and all necessary out-buildings; a good Apple Orchard, and a never-failing well of water near the door; water in the barn-yard; several never-failing springs on the farm, and a never-failing stream through it, to which access from nearly every field can be had for the watering of cattle.

☞ Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the last-named Administrator, residing on the adjoining farm.

☞ Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

HENRY THOMAS,
SAMUEL THOMAS, } *Adm'rs.*

By the Court—J. J. BALDWIN, *Clerk.*
Aug. 24, 1857. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of EMANUEL CHRONISTER, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on their premises, *on Friday, the 25th day of September next*, the following property of said deceased, viz:

A LOT OF GROUND, situate in Reading township, Adams county, on the road leading from Hampton to East Berlin, adjoining lands of Joseph Shaefer, Thaddeus Chronister and Adam Miller, containing 6¼ Acres, more or less. The land is cleared, and in an excellent state of cultivation.

ALSO, A LOT OF GROUND, near the above, on the same road, containing 1 Acres, more or less—a small portion Timber.

Persons wishing to view the lots are requested to call on the undersigned, residing in Hampton.

☞ Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

HENRY A. PICKING, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. Baldwin, Clerk.
Aug. 24, 1857. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of MARY SOMMERVILLE, dec., will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Friday, the 25th day of September next*, the following property of said deceased, viz:

A LOT OF GROUND, situate in the town of Hampton, Adams county, adjoining property of Lucy Overholtzer and Jacob Deardorff, having thereon a two story Frame Weatherboarded HOUSE, Stable, Fruit Trees, &c.

ALSO, A LOT OF GROUND, adjoining the above, with fruit trees thereon.

☞ Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing in Hampton.

☞ Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JACOB AULABAUGH, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. Baldwin, Clerk.
Aug. 24, 1857. ts

A DESIRABLE FARM AT

Public Sale.

THE Subscriber, wishing to remove, will offer at Public Sale, *on Saturday, the 12th day of September next*, on the premises, his FARM, situate in Mountpleasant township, Adams county, within half a mile of the Gettysburg Railroad, adjoining lands of John Cashman, John Shetter and others, containing 92 Acres, more or less. About 20 acres are first rate Timber, with a good proportion of Meadow. The improvements consist of a one-and-a-half story Dwelling HOUSE, Log and Frame Barn, Hay Shed, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Spring House, (with a never-failing Spring;) a young Apple Orchard, and other fruit trees. The land is under good cultivation and good fencing, with water in nearly all the fields.

☞ Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing thereon.

☞ Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

WM. A. REARY.

Aug 24, 1857. ts

Private Sale.

THE subscriber wishes to sell his FARM at Private Sale, situate near Cashtown, Franklin township, Adams county, containing 75 ACRES and some Perches, adjoining lands of Thomas J. Cooper, Isaac Rife, Peter Mickley, Daniel Herges, and others, having a large proportion of Meadow and some fine Timber. The improvements consist of a good Twostory LOG HOUSE, a double Log Barn, with Sheds and Corn Crib, a never-failing well, with a pump, near the house; also, a good Apple Orchard, with a variety of other fruit; also, a good quarry of Limestone, on the farm.

Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the subscriber, residing near the property.

Also, A Tract of Mountain Land,

containing 22 Acres and 30 Perches of Patented Land, situate about 2½ miles north of the farm, on the new road leading to the Chapel, adjoining lands of Andrew Wisler, Robert Sankeley and others.

FREDERICK STOVER.

Aug. 24, 1857. 7w*

Administrator's Notice.

SARAH DEARDORFF'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Sarah Deardorff, late of Straban twp., Adams co., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in Franklin township, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement. FREDERICK DIEHL, *Adm'r.*

Aug. 24. 1857. 6t

8 Teachers Wanted.

THE School Directors of Butler township will meet at the School-house, in Middletown, *on Wednesday, the 9th day of September next*, for the purpose of employing Teachers for the Winter term. The County Superintendent will be present to examine Teachers.

F. W. KNOUSS, *Sec'y.*

Aug. 24, 1857. td

3 Teachers Wanted.

A MEETING of the School Directors of Oxford District will be held at the Public School-house in New Oxford, *on Saturday, the 12th of September next*, at 2 o'clock, P. M., to receive applications for Teachers of the Public Schools of the District.

By order of the Board,
J. R. HERSH, *Sec'y.*

Aug. 24, 1857. td

PROTHONOTARY.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—The undersigned, at the solicitation of numerous friends, offers himself as a candidate for PROTHONOTARY, at the October election—subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. Should I be nominated and elected, I will discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

JACOB BUSHEY.

East Berlin, August 24, 1857.

SHERIFFALTY.

TO the voters of Adams county:—Fellow Citizens:—I offer myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, at the next election, subject to the decision of the American Republican Convention. Should I be nominated and elected, I will endeavor to discharge the duties of the office to the satisfaction of the people. Respectfully yours, &c.,

J. BARRETT.

Gettysburg, Aug. 24, 1857.

SHERIFFALTY.

TO the Voters of Adams County:—The undersigned offers himself as a candidate for SHERIFF at the next election, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention. Should he be nominated and elected, he pledges his best efforts to the discharge of the duties of the office.

JAMES A. THOMPSON.

Gettysburg, Aug. 17, 1857.

Pamphlet Laws.

THE PAMPHLET LAWS of the State have been received at this Office, and are now ready for distribution among those entitled to receive them.

JOHN PICKING, *Proth'y.*

Prothonotary's Office, Gettysburg, Aug. 17, 1857. 3t

Auctioneering.

ANDREW W. FLEMMING, residing in Breckinridge street, near James Pierce's, Gettysburg, offers his services to the public as a *Sale Crier and Auctioneer*. His charges are moderate, and he will on all occasions endeavor to render satisfaction. He hopes to receive a share of public patronage.

Aug. 17, 1857.

Texas Election.—The Democratic majority for Governor in 17 counties is 5,106, a gain of 84 votes on the last Governor's election. The Legislature is largely Democratic. So far the House stands 57 Democrats, 9 opposition; and the Senate 27 Democrats, 6 opposition. Reagan, Dem., is elected to Congress, over Evans, Amer., by about 4,000 maj. Bryan, Dem., is the other Congressman elect.

Iowa.—It is generally understood that the new constitution has been adopted by the people, but that the separate clause, admitting free colored men to free suffrage in common with the whites, has been voted down by a very large majority.

Execution of a Murderer.—HOLLIDAYSBURG, Aug. 21st.—McKim, the murderer of Norcross, was executed here to-day at 20 minutes of 1 o'clock. He died protesting his innocence. He attempted to commit suicide this morning. He spoke nearly two hours from the scaffold.

REAL ESTATE,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of JACOB BOBLITZ, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 19th day of September next*, the following Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

situate in Mountjoy township, Adams county, on the Baltimore Turnpike, four miles from Gettysburg, and six miles from Littlestown, adjoining lands of Peter Orndorff, Peter Cownover, John Worley and others, containing 132 Acres, more or less, with due proportions of Woodland and Meadow. The improvements are a one-and-a-half story Weatherboarded HOUSE, Frame Barn, (with sheds all around it,) Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Wash House, Log Blacksmith Shop, and other outbuildings; a first-rate Apple Orchard of choice fruit; a never-failing Spring near the house, with three other springs on the premises.

The farm is under good cultivation and good fencing, and well watered. Persons wishing to view it are requested to call on the undersigned, residing thereon. The property will be offered in whole or in two parts, to suit purchasers.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

PETER BOBLITZ, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. BALDWIN, *Clerk.*

August 24, 1857. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of HENRY BECKER, deceased, will offer at Public Sale on the premises, *on Saturday, the 26th day of September next*, the following Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

No. 1. A LOT OF GROUND, situate in Butler township, Adams county, half a mile north of Centre Mills, adjoining lands of George Fohl, Abraham Slaybaugh and the undersigned, containing 2 ACRES and 54 Perches, (more or less,) on which are erected a Two-story Frame Roughcast Dwelling HOUSE, with a one story Frame Kitchen attached, a Log Stable, with a Carriage House attached, a Log Cabinet-maker's Shop, with other out-buildings, also a young bearing Apple Orchard, with other fruit, on the premises, and a never-failing well of water near the door, with a chain pump in it.

No. 2. A LOT OF GROUND, adjoining the above, containing 2 Acres and 33 Perches, (more or less.) Both lots have been well limed during the last few years.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing near by.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

CONRAD SLAYBAUGH, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. BALDWIN, *Clerk.*

August 24, 1857. ts

Orphan's Court Sale.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of GEORGE BOLLION, dec'd., will expose to sale at public outcry, on the premises, on *Saturday, the 19th day of September next*, at 1 o'clock, P. M., a certain TRACT OF LAND, containing about 11 Acres, of which about 4 acres are Timber, and the balance in a good state of cultivation—on which are erected a two-story LOG HOUSE, (weatherboarded,) a log weatherboarded Barn, and a large Shop, Spring House, and other out-buildings; also thereon an Orchard of thrifty trees, having choice fruit. The tract is situated in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Conrad Thomas, Levi Irwin and Peter Dillon.

The terms will be made known on the day of sale by JOHN HOFFMAN, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. Baldwin, Clerk.

Aug. 24, 1857. ts

Notice of Inquest.

NOTICE is hereby given to all the heirs and legal representatives of MARY HEWITT, late of Menallen township, Adams county, deceased, to wit: George Hewitt, John Hewitt, Jesse Hewitt, Sarah, intermarried with Thomas McCreary, but now deceased, leaving her said husband surviving; the descendants or issue of Elizabeth, intermarried with George Joyce, now both deceased, Joseph Joyce, Margaret, intermarried with Samuel Cook, Obediah Joyce, now deceased, leaving issue, Susan, intermarried with George B. Hewitt, James Joyce, Daniel Joyce, Mary, intermarried with William Gardner, both now deceased, leaving issue, Alfred James Gardner, Mary Ann Gardner, and Deborah, intermarried with Henry Reed—that an *INQUEST* will be held on the following property, viz: A Lot, Piece or Parcel of Land, situate in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of David Doll, Jonas Routzahn, and others, containing 10 acres, more or less, on which are erected a two-story Log House, Log Stable, with the necessary outbuildings—*on Thursday, the 17th day of September next*, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on said premises, to make partition thereof, to and amongst the heirs and legal representatives of said deceased, if the same will admit of partition, without prejudice to or spoiling the whole thereof; but if the same will not admit of such partition, to inquire how many of said heirs is will conveniently accommodate—and part and divide the same to and among as many of them as the same will accommodate; but if the same will not admit of division at all without prejudice to or spoiling the whole thereof, then to value and appraise the same, whole and undivided—whereof all persons interested are hereby notified to attend.

HENRY THOMAS, *Sheriff.*

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Aug. 24, 1857. td

Register's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Legatees and other persons concerned, that the *Administration Accounts* hereinafter mentioned will be presented at the Orphan's Court of Adams county, for confirmation and allowance, on *Tuesday, the 22d day of September next*, viz: (These are a portion of those to be presented.)

280. Account of Noah Miller and John Miller, Executors of John Miller, deceased, who was surviving Executor of Michael Miller, deceased.

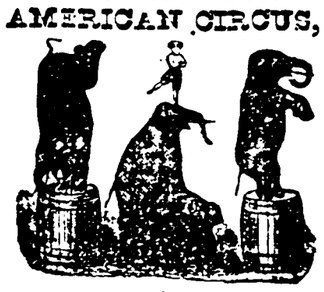
283. The first and final account of Frederick Wolf, Guardian of Wm. Flickinger, minor son of Wm. Flickinger, deceased.

WM. F. WALTER, *Register*,
Per DANIEL PLANK, *Deputy.*

Register's Office, Gettysburg, Aug. 24, 1857. td

SANDS, NATHANS & CO'S.

AMERICAN CIRCUS,



AND

ELEPHANT EXHIBITION!

Will Perform in GETTYSBURG, On WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 9th, 1857.

THE leading feature of this grand Exhibition is the varied performance of the *Wonderfully Educated Elephants*,

VICTORIA AND ALBERT!

whose unequalled feats have been the wonder and delight of thousands upon thousands in the Paris, London, New York and Philadelphia Theatres. They exhibit the *most Astonishing Display of Animal Training and Instinct ever beheld.*

They have been taught to ascend an Inclined Plank, only NINE INCHES in width, a distance of 30 yards, where one of them will BALANCE HIMSELF ON HIS HEAD! *upon a Pedestal not over a foot in Diameter.*

They will also perform a great variety of FEATS OF POSTURING, GYMNASTICS, DANCING, WALTZING, MARCHING, &c., such as have never been attempted in America, and have been the Wonder and Amazement of the world for the last two years.

These perfectly and surprisingly trained Elephants, both of whom are quite young, were brought out to this country in March last, by Mr. R. SANDS, personally, who purchased them at an almost incredible cost—bidding over the greatest wild beast proprietor in Europe—while they were performing an engagement at the Port St. Denis, Paris. Their indefatigable trainer, MONS. LAGRANGE, accompanies the Elephants and superintends their performances.

Particular Notice.

The Proprietors do most positively and unequivocally assume the public, that these extraordinary Elephants WILL PERFORM ALL that is announced or illustrated by cuts on their bills, and that all the Feats thus illustrated in the engravings and described, ARE ACTUALLY DONE.

In the Equestrian and Acrobatic Departments, the Proprietors confidently recommend to the notice of the public the names of Mons. FERANTE, and his accomplished pupils, the German Acrobats Herrs VOLKMAN and VON CASTLE.—Mme. LOUISE BROWER, the accomplished Equestrienne.—Mr. J. J. NATHANS, with his talented lad PHILO. Mr. WM. AYMAR, the Equestrian Grotesque. JESSE SANDS, the favorite pupil of Mr. R. Sands, the most accomplished rider of the age. Mr. GEO. SERGEANT, the Graphic Scene Rider, and a host of other artists of distinguished abilities.

Among the comic features of the entertainment will be introduced the two celebrated

PERFORMING ZEBRAS!

Trained in a most wonderful manner by C. H. BASSET.

Beautiful displays of VAULTING, TUMBLING, SOMERSETTING, &c., by the Troupe, in which the whole gymnastic strength of the company will appear.

The performances will be accompanied with OTTO HORNE'S N. Y. CORNET BAND.

Each Entertainment will conclude with the Romantic Legend of

MAZEPPA:

OR THE WILD HORSE OF TARTARY.

CLOWNS—MESSRS. BROWER & AYMAR,

With Several Able Assistants.

☞In the forenoon a splendid PROCESSION OF ELEPHANTS with the magnificent BAND CHARIOT, drawn by a Team of Six! will parade through the principal streets.

ADMISSION, 25 CENTS. NO HALF PRICE.

Doors open at 1½ and 7½ P. M. Performance half an hour afterwards.

Will perform at GETTYSBURG, Wednesday, Sept. 9th; and at HANOVER, Tuesday, Sept. 8th.

Aug. 24, 1857.

Costar's Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator.

PUT up in 26c., 35c., 65c., and $1 Boxes.

"*Costar's*" *Bed Bug Exterminator.*—Put up in 25c., 50c., 75c., and $1 Bottles.

"*Costar's*" *Electric Powder, for Ants, Insects, &c.* Put up in 25c. and 50c. Boxes.

Principal Depot, No. 388 Broadway, New York, and sold by DRUGGISTS and DEALERS everywhere in the United States, Canadas, West Indies and South America.

☞Full particulars by Mail.

Aug. 24, 1857. 1m

"CONSUMPTION."

BY DR. W. W. HALL. Sent p. p. for $1: Address "*Publisher of Hall's Journal of Health, New York.*" This is believed to be the plainest, most truthful and satisfactory book on this subject ever presented for popular reading: neither medicine or instruments are advised; most remarkable results having followed diligent attention to certain forms of out door activities and nutritious diet.

Aug. 24, 1857. 1t

List of Letters

REMAINING in the Post Office, at Gettysburg, Aug. 17, 1857.

Albert J. C.	Little & Moore
Bear Peter	Little L. J. Mrs.
Beard Elizabeth Mrs.	McGlaughlen James 2
Britcher Wm.	Parker T.
Bowers Mary Miss	Peil Robert
Creager C. W.	Rosser Wm. 3
Ewalt Ab'm	S. J. A. Mr.
Eisenhart J. S.	Spangler Barbara Mrs.
Fisher Nancy Miss	St. John A.
Harlauss Randolph I.	Teyler B. O.
Hostettor Peter	West Geo. P.
Johnson A. C.	

GEORGE GEYER, *P. M.*

☞Persons calling for Letters in the above List will please say they were advertised.

A LARGE assortment of STRAW GOODS, just received, and for sale at BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH'S.

Assignee's Sale.
VALUABLE IRON AND BRASS FOUNDRY & REAL ESTATE.

On Saturday, the 26th of September next,

THE Subscriber, Assignee under a deed of voluntary assignment for the benefit of creditors, by THOMAS WARREN & WIFE, will sell at Public Sale, at the Court-house, in Gettysburg, the following valuable property, viz:

No. 1. TWO LOTS OF GROUND, fronting on Railroad street, on which is erected a valuable Iron and Brass Foundry, known as the "*Gettysburg Foundry*," with all the necessary apparatus, Steam Engine, Flasks, Patterns, Tools, &c. The Foundry is now in running order, and doing a first-rate business.

No. 2. A HALF LOT OF GROUND, on corner of Carlisle and Railroad streets, with a new Two-story Brick DWELLING, with Attic and Basement—large two story Brick Back-building and Attic, Stabling, never-failing well of water, &c.—admirably adapted for a Public House.

No. 3. A TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, adjoining No. 2, with Attic, good cellar, back-building, &c.—also new.

No. 4. A LOT OF GROUND, on corner of Chambersburg and West streets, fronting 60 feet on former street and running back to an alley, with a Two-story Plastered DWELLING, Weatherboarded Back-building, a Frame Shop, Stabling, Well of Water, &c.

No. 5. A LOT OF GROUND, adjoining No. 4, fronting 60 feet on Chambersburg street, on which are erected FOUR Three-story Brick DWELLINGS, with Attics. These will be sold together or separately, to suit purchasers.

No. 6. TWO LOTS OF GROUND, adjoining No. 5, each fronting 60 feet on Chambersburg street and running back to an alley, being desirable building lots.

No. 7. HALF LOT OF GROUND, on East Middle street, adjoining properties of Ephraim Hanaway and Geo. Swope, on which are erected a good Two-story Frame DWELLING, Back-building, Well of Water, &c.

No. 8. A LOT OF GROUND, on West Middle street, adjoining properties of S. S. McNair and others, fronting 60 feet on Middle street, and running back to an alley.

No. 9. FIVE ACRES OF LAND, more or less, near Pennsylvania College, adjoining lands of R. McCurdy, Eden Devan, and others.

No. 10. THE INTEREST OF THOS. WARREN, (being the undivided two-thirds,) in a TRACT OF LAND, in Freedom township, containing 49 Acres, more or less, adjoining lands of S. S. McNair and others, known as "Middle Creek Factory." There are on this property a large Two-story DWELLING Back-building, Stabling, Saw Mill, and other improvements. The water-power is equal to any in the county, and furnishes an admirable site for a Mill or Factory.

☞The interest of D. Warren, who owns the other third of property No. 10, will be sold at the same time, so that the purchaser will secure an entire title.

Sale will commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., when attendance will be given and terms made known by

SAMUEL WEAVER, *Assignee.*

Aug. 17, 1857.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE undersigned will sell at Public Sale, *on Saturday, the 12th day of September*, 1857, on the premises, in Latimore township, Adams county, about one mile and a half from Deardorff's mill, and two miles from Petersburg, the following Real Estate, to wit:

A TRACT OF LAND,

containing 120 Acres, more or less, adjoining lands of Michael Stambaugh, Moses Myers, Jacob Sutzel, and the Latimore creek, which runs through the farm. The improvements are a Two-story Brick Dwelling HOUSE, Tenant House, Log Barn, Smoke House, Wash House, and other out-buildings, with a well of water near the house. About 15 acres are Woodland, the remainder cleared, in a good state of cultivation, and under good fencing. There is also on the premises a Saw, Chopping and Clover Mill. The land is well watered, there being a spring in each field. There is also an Orchard of choice fruit trees on the premises.

☞Persons wishing to view the premises before the day of sale can do so by calling on Nathaniel Stambaugh, who resides on the same.

☞Sale to commence at 2 o'clock on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

PHILIP STAMBAUGH.

August 17, 1857.

A Good Farm,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE Subscriber, intending to quit farming, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 19th day of September next*, his FARM, situate in Butler township, Adams county, within a mile of Arendtsville, adjoining lands of Samuel Wolf, John Hartman, Thomas Taylor, George Taylor, and others, containing **105 Acres**, more or less, having due proportions of Woodland and Meadow.—The improvements are a Two-story LOG HOUSE, with two Kitchens, a Bank Barn, Wagon Shed, Spring House, Wash House, and other out-buildings; a spring of water near the door of the Dwelling, and one of the finest Apple Orchards in the county on the premises. The land is under good fencing and good cultivation, and the cleared land has all been limed, some of it twice.

Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing thereon.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JOHN HOFFMAN.

Aug. 17 1857.

The $10 & $15 Single and Double Threaded

Empire Family Sewing Machine.

AN Agency for the sale of these Machines can be secured for this county, on liberal terms, by a personal application at the office of the subscribers, S. E. Corner 6th and Arch Sts., Philadelphia.

No one need apply without sufficient capital to conduct the business properly, and without references as to reliability and capacity.

We positively assert that these Sewing Machines, for all purposes of family sewing, are by far superior to any Sewing Machine in use, (no matter at what cost they are held,) and wherever they are offered for sale will meet with a ready and constant demand.

JOHNSON & GOODELL.

Aug. 17, 1857. 1m

A NEW STOCK OF

BOOTS AND SHOES,

At the Old Stand in West Chambersburg street.

THE undersigned has just purchased a well selected Stock of Goods, and invites the attention of the public to his fine assortment of Gentlemen's, Ladies', and Children's BOOTS AND SHOES. These Goods have been selected with a view to meet the various wants and necessities of customers. Also, a splendid assortment of Plain and Fancy GAITERS & SLIPPERS, of all sizes and descriptions, made of very best materials, which he is prepared to sell on as favorable terms as they can be had at any place in the County. Having been engaged in the Shoe business for 30 years, he flatters himself that he has selected such Goods as will give entire satisfaction to all who may wish to purchase. Call and examine for yourselves.

☞Boots, Shoes, &c., made to order as heretofore. WILLIAM BOYER.

May 11, 1857. 3m

POWDER and SHOT, the best manufactured, to be had at NORBECK'S.

A VALUABLE
TOWN PROPERTY,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber, desiring to remove, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on *Tuesday, the 25th of August instant*, the following Real Property, viz:

No. 1.—A LOT OF GROUND, situate on Baltimore street, in the Borough of Gettysburg, adjoining property of Dr. Krauth on the south and "The Compiler" office on the north, having a two-story Dwelling HOUSE, with a two-story brick Back Building, Stable, well of water, fruit trees, &c., thereon.

No. 2.—A LOT OF GROUND, situate on High street, in said Borough, adjoining property of Dr. Krauth, the Female High School, and Lot. No. 1, having thereon erected a comfortable two-story BRICK HOUSE, and brick Back Building.

No. 3.—TWO LOTS OF GROUND, situate on the corner of West Middle and Washington streets, in said Borough, adjoining property of Samuel Weaver, on the west—with a two-story BRICK HOUSE, a one and a half story Weatherboarded House, and a frame Blacksmith Shop, thereon erected.

No. 4.—A TRACT OF LAND, situate on the Long Lane, in said Borough, adjoining lands of Robert Smith and George Codori, containing 7 Acres and 92 Perches, having a first rate spring thereon. About 4 acres are Meadow. The tract will be offered in two lots.

No. 5.—A TRACT OF LAND, situate between West Middle street and the Millerstown road, adjoining lands of Robert Smith and Rev. Cole, containing 7 Acres, more or less—to be offered in three lots.

No. 6.—A TRACT OF LAND, situate on the Millerstown road, in Cumberland township, near the Borough, adjoining lands of Ephraim Hanaway, Jacob Herbst's heirs, and Rev. Barkett, containing 36 Acres, more or less—to be offered in whole or in six lots, as may best suit purchasers.

☞These Properties offer rare opportunities to make investments, and the attention of all desiring to purchase is invited to the sale.—Much of the land has been limed.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, A. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

THOMAS F. FRAZER.

Aug. 3, 1857. ts

A Rare Chance!
VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE NEAR GETTYSBURG.

IN pursuance of authority given in the last will and testament of Jacob Herbst, deceased, the subscribers, Executors of the said Jacob Herbst, deceased, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Tuesday, September 15th, 1857*, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following valuable Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

THE FARM,

on which deceased resided for thirty years, situate on the Millerstown road, the first farm from Gettysburg, containing 160 ACRES and 60 PERCHES of patented land, having a large proportion of Meadow and a due proportion of Timber.

The improvements consist of a large Two-story LOG HOUSE, a large Stone Bank Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Carriage House and all necessary out-buildings; a first-rate never-failing Spring of Water and Stone Spring House. Also, a fine Apple ORCHARD, with a variety of other fruit. The fences are good, and the land in a fine state of cultivation.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the heirs residing there on.

Also, At the same time and place will be sold,

A Tract of Mountain Land,

containing 12 Acres and 66 Perches, adjoining lands of Jacob Swisher, Michael Troutle, Solomon Young, and others. Persons wishing to view this tract are requested to call at Solomon Young's, on the Cold Spring road, on Saturday the 12th of September, at 10 o'clock, when they will be shown the same by the Executors.

SAMUEL HERBST, }
JOHN HERBST, } *Executors.*

Aug. 3, 1857. ts

Orphan's Court Sale.

BY virtue of an alias Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the subscriber, Administrator of PHILIP COST, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 12th day of September next*, the Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

situate in Liberty township, Adams county, three miles west of Emmitsburg, adjoining lands of Hon. James McDivitt, Maxwell Shields and others, containing 164 Acres, more or less, about 30 acres of which are cleared and in a good state cultivation, and much of the balance is well covered with thriving Chestnut and Rock-oak Timber. Between 40 and 50 acres more could easily be cleared. The improvements are a one-and-a-half story LOG HOUSE, Log Barn, a young Orchard of choice fruit, &c. There are two good Springs near the dwelling. The road from McDivitt's Mill to Sabillasville passes thro' this property.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the subscriber, residing thereon. It will be offered undivided or in two parts to suit purchasers.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

WM. A. COLL, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. BALDWIN, *Clerk.*

Aug. 10 1857. ts

WM. GILLESPIE. HENRY THOMAS.

Family Grocery & Provision Store.

GILLESPIE & THOMAS respectfully inform the people of Gettysburg and the public generally, that they have just returned from the city with a general assortment of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS and VEGETABLES, which they are prepared to sell as low as the lowest. FLOUR and FEED always on hand, and sold at small profits.

Store on York street, one door east of Wattles' Hotel.

Gettysburg, Aug. 3, 1857.

Executors' Notice.

JACOB HERBST'S ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Jacob Herbst, late of Cumberland township, Adams co., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, the first-named residing in Gettysburg and the last-named in Hamiltonban twp., they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

SAMUEL HERBST,
JOHN HERBST,
Ex'rs.

Aug. 10, 1857.

NOTICE.

THE Members of the "*Adams County Mutual Fire Insurance Company,*" are hereby notified that an election for twenty-one MANAGERS will be held at the office of the Secretary, in Gettysburg, *on Monday, the 7th day of September next*, between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock P. M.—each member entitled to one vote for each policy held by him.

The Executive Committee will meet at 10 o'clock, A. M., on said day.

☞Managers having in hands fees due the Company will be required to pay the same into the Treasury on or before said day, to enable the accounts for the current year to be closed.

D. A. BUEHLER, *Sec'y.*

Aug. 10, 1857. 3t

Ready-made Clothing,

COATS, Pants and Vests, for boys and men; Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps; Shirts, Collars, Cravats, Neck Ties, Stocks, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Stockings, Suspenders,—a nice of lot of Gowns, Water-proof Oil Coats, and everything else that can be found in a Store of the kind, always to be had at SAMSON'S.

One of the Best Farms,
FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers at Private Sale, his FARM, situate in Straban township, Adams county, on the Hanover road, and adjoining the Gettysburg Borough line. The farm contains 154 Acres, more or less, the land being of the best quality, much of it "granite"—with fair proportions of meadow and timber. Fences good and the soil in excellent cultivation. The improvements are a comfortable Stone Dwelling HOUSE, Bank Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn crib, &c.—first-rate Apple Orchard, a never-failing well of water at the door, and a number of springs upon the tract. It is certainly one of the most desirable farms now in market in this county, and demands the attention of capitalists.

Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing thereon. DANIEL BENNER.

July 13, 1857. 3m

A SMALL FARM,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be offered at Public Sale, on the premises, on *Thursday, the 10th day of September next*,

A TRACT OF

Valuable Limestone Land,

containing **28 Acres**, more or less, situate in Germany township, Adams county, on the Turnpike leading from Littlestown to Gettysburg, one quarter of a mile from the former place, adjoining lands of James Renshaw, George Myers, and others. The improvements are a good two story BRICK HOUSE, Log Barn, Corn Crib and Wagon Shed, and other out buildings; a never failing well of water at the door, and several never failing springs on the tract; also an Apple Orchard of choice fruit, with other fruit trees.

Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned Agent, or on Mr. George Guider, residing thereon. It is one of the most desirable country residences in the county.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JOSEPH L. SHORB,
Agent for James E. Shorb.

June 29, 1857. ts

A RARE CHANCE.

Desirable and Valuable Farm,
FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber, Executor of PETER FERREE, deceased, offers for sale the following desirable Real Estate of said decedent, viz:

A FARM,

late the Home Place of Mr. Ferree, situate in Tyrone township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Amos Myers, Jacob Ferree, Jacob Arntsberger, and others, containing

242 Acres, more or less,

having large proportions of Woodland and Meadow. The improvements consist of a Two Story weatherboarded HOUSE, a Stone Bank Barn, Wagon Shed and Corn Crib, Spring House, TENANT HOUSE, Stable, &c., with a never-failing spring of water at each dwelling, and an Apple Orchard on the premises.

This has always been admitted to be one of the best grain-producing Farms in the whole neighborhood. Persons wishing to view it are requested to call upon Mr. Beck, residing thereon. As the Farm is susceptible of convenient division, it will be offered in two parts or in whole, as purchasers may desire.

If the property is not sold at private sale previous to *Thursday, the 24th day of September next*, it will be offered at public outcry on that day, upon the premises, at one o'clock, P. M. Attendance given and terms made known by JOEL B. DANNER, *Ex'r.*

July 20, 1857.

GOOD FARM,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE Subscribers, Executors of ISAAC HESS, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Thursday, September 3, 1857*, the following valuable Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

THE FARM

on which deceased resided all his life-time, situate in Latimore township, Adams county, within three miles of York Springs, adjoining lands of Philip Hess, John Brown, Isaac Asper, Isaac Myers, Joseph Power, and others, containing **185 Acres, more or less**, about 100 of which are farm land, 25 acres meadow, and the balance covered with thriving timber. The farm is under good cultivation and good fencing. The improvements are a Two-story Log DWELLING HOUSE, large Bank Barn, large Shop, Dry House, and other out-buildings; three Apple Orchards of choice fruit, with Peach, Pear, Plum and Cherry Trees. There is a never-failing spring of water near the door, and a stream through the farm, it being thus well watered.

☞The farm will be offered in whole or in two parts, as may best suit purchasers.

☞Persons wishing to view the property, are requested to call on the first-named Executor, residing thereon.

☞Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

CORNELIUS HESS,
JOSEPH HESS,
Executors.

July 13, 1857. ts

☞Also, at the same time and place, the following PERSONAL PROPERTY of deceased: 3 tons of Hay, 3 Grain Cradles; a quantity of Lard, 25 yards of Carpeting, 3 Chests, Coverlets, Quilts, and other articles too numerous to mention.

SECOND ARRIVAL OF

Spring & Summer Goods.

WE respectfully invite the attention of buyers and customers both in town and country to our new stock of Goods. It consists of Dry Goods, Notions, Queensware, Cedar Ware, Crockery Ware, and Groceries; *READY-MADE CLOTHING;* Clothing made to order. ☞All Goods cut free of charge, at the north-west corner of the Diamond. JOHN HOKE.

June 1, 1857.

The Rev. C. S. Burnett,

WHILE laboring as a Missionary in Southern Asia, discovered a simple and certain Cure for *Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, Nervous Debility*, and all impurities of the *Blood*; also, an easy and effectual mode of Inhaling the *Remedy*. Actuated by a desire to benefit his suffering fellows, he will cheerfully send the Recipe (free) to such as desire it, with full and explicit directions for preparing and successfully using the Medicine. Address

REV. C. S. BURNETT,
831 Broadway, N. Y. City.

August 3, 1857. 6m

Black Silk Hats.

FALL and Winter Style, just received and for sale at COBEAN & PAXTON'S Fashionable Hat, Cap, Boot and Shoe Store.

Summer Clothing.

THIS morning received, a new lot of very fine Summer Clothing, latest fashion, and will continue to receive every week or ten days, more of different articles, from auction.

July 27, 1857. M. SAMSON.

This Way! This Way!!

JUST IN SEASON!—Fly Nets, of various styles and colors, cheap at SAMSON'S.

IF you want to buy GOODS CHEAP, call at G. F. ECKENRODE & BRO'S, at Heidlersburg, Adams co.

SAPONIFIER OR CONCENTRATED LYE for making Soap—to be had at FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS.

CHILDREN'S Shoes of every variety and size, at BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH'S successors to W. W. Paxton

FLOUR & FEED always on hand at NORBECK'S.

SECOND arrival of Spring Goods this day at the Cheap Store of FAHNESTOCKS'.

A VALUABLE FARM,
At Public Sale.

THE Subscriber, Administrator with the will annexed of MICHAEL MILLER, dec'd., will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 5th day of September next*, the following Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

situate in Cumberland township, Adams county, adjoining lands of John Plank, Michael Bussman, John Slyder, and others, about 4 miles from Gettysburg, containing 151 ACRES and allowance, with good proportions of Meadow and Timberland. The improvements are a Two-story LOG HOUSE, Log Barn, and the necessary out-buildings; an Apple Orchard, and two neverfailing Springs near the house. Fences good, and the land, mostly granite, under good cultivation. If desired, a tract of 10 or 12 Acres of Wood-land will be offered separate from the Farm.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call on John Keefauver, residing thereon, or on the subscriber, residing in Gettysburg.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P.M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms make known by

JACOB BENNER,
Administrator with the will annexed.

July 13, 1857. ts

A Valuable Farm,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE Subscriber, Executor of the last will and testament of JOHN HEMLER, Sr., deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 12th day of September next*, the following Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

situate in Mountpleasant township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Moses Senft, Peter O'Neal, Daniel Kohler, and others, about 5 miles from Hanover and 3 from New Oxford, containing 82 ACRES, more or less, with good proportions of Meadow and Timber-land. The improvements are a Two-story Brick Dwelling HOUSE, Log Barn, and a Stone Spring House, (with a neverfailing Spring to it,) and all necessary out-buildings; an Apple and Peach Orchard, with choice fruit of all kinds. The fences are good, mostly chestnut rails. The land is in first rate order, it having been nearly all limed within the last few years. About 10 Acres of good Woodland to the farm.

☞Persons wishing to view the property, are requested to call on John Hemler, Jr., residing thereon, or on the subscriber, residing in Oxford township.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JOSEPH J. SMITH,
Executor of John Hemler, Sr., dec'd.

Aug. 3, 1857. ts

Valuable Properties,
AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE subscriber, desiring to remove to the West, offers at Private Sale, his FARM, situate in Cumberland township, Adams co., on the road leading from Gettysburg to Fairfield, about 2 miles from the former place, adjoining lands of Geo. Culp, Francis Bream, and others, containing 153 ACRES, more or less, with due proportions of Meadow and Timber. The improvements consist of a two-story STONE HOUSE, a good Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, and all other necessary out-buildings; a never-failing well of water near the door of the dwelling, with an excellent spring near by, piped into the barn yard.—Also a first rate Apple Orchard, with other fruit, on the Farm. Fences good, and the land in fine cultivation.

Also, a Tract of Choice Land,

containing about 5 Acres, adjoining the above, with a comfortable two-story DWELLING, Stable, Shop, well of water, fruit trees, &c., thereon, making it a very desirable home.

Persons wishing to view the properties are requested to call on the undersigned, residing on the last named.

July 27. JOHN BUTT, Sr.

REAL ESTATE AT
Public Sale.

THE Subscriber, Executor of SAMUEL MUMMERT, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 5th day of September next*,

A SMALL FARM,

(formerly occupied by said deceased,) situate in Hamilton township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Daniel Baker, John Bear, John Hartman, and others, containing 45 Acres, more or less. The land is under good cultivation and good fencing. The improvements consist of a two-story STONE HOUSE, Log Barn, Wagon Shed and Corn Crib, Spring House, and other out-buildings; two Springs and a good Apple Orchard on the premises.

Also at the same time and place, will be offered, A TRACT OF ABOUT SIX ACRES, half Woodland, situate about one mile from the above, on the Abbottstown Turnpike, adjoining lands of John Bopp, John Grove, and others.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon Mr. Mathias Mummert, residing on the first described.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

GEORGE MUMMERT, *Ex'r.*

Aug. 3, 1857. ts

Public Sale.

THE Subscriber will offer at Public Sale on the premises, *on Thursday, the 27th of August next*, the following property, viz:

A SMALL FARM,

situate in Franklin township, Adams county, containing 40 Acres, more or less. The improvements are a one and a half story LOG HOUSE, Log Barn, Shop, Spring House, &c. Also, the following PERSONAL PROPERTY, viz: 1 Horse, 4 head of Cattle, 7 Hogs, 1 Wagon, Plough, Horse Gears, Shovel Ploughs, (double and single;) Corn in the ground, Rye and Oats by the bushel, Potatoes; with all the Household and Kitchen Furniture, such as Beds and Bedding, Tables, Chairs, Bureau, Cupboard, Clock, Stove, Tubs and Pots.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day when attendance will be given and terms made known by

MICHAEL J. HENRY.

July 20, 1857. ts

Littlestown Railroad!

THE Fourth Monthly Instalment of Five Dollars per Share on the Stock subscribed, will be due and payable to the Treasurer of said Company, *on the 28th day of August inst.*

☞By a Resolution of the Board of Directors, passed on Saturday, 25th ult., all persons in arrears after that time will be charged interest at the rate of one per cent. a month on their back payments, in accordance with the Act of Assembly. E. F. SHORB,
Secretary of the Board.

Aug. 3, 1857. td

N. B.—Any of the Directors will receipt for payments on Stock.

PHILADELPHIA
Wood Moulding Mill,

Willow Street, above Twelfth, North Side.

MOULDINGS suitable for Carpenters, Builders, Cabinet and Frame Makers, worked from the best and thoroughly seasoned material, always on hand. Any pattern worked from a drawing.

The subscriber having purchased the entire interest, will continue the business with increased facilities.

Agents wanted in the various towns in this portion of the State, to whom opportunities will be offered for large profits to themselves.

SAMUEL B. HENRY.

July 20, 1857. 3m

BONNETS, Ribbons, Parasols and Shawls to be had very cheap at FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS.

WHY IS IT THAT
MARCUS SAMSON

CAN sell cheaper than anybody else?—Because he buys at auction, for CASH.

Look at his Hats, that he sells hundreds of Gentlemen have bought and paid for such Hats from $3 50 to $4 00—but Samson sells them at $2 25. And why does he sell them so cheap? Because he bought at auction.

Look at his Boots and Shoes—look at his Gaiters—the same kind sold at other places at from $3 00 to $4 50, he sells at $1 87½ to $2 87

One Dollar & Seventy-five Cents,

PAID IN ADVANCE,

Will Secure the Regular Visit of

"The Compiler,"

to the Home of any Family in the County.

ITS PERUSAL WILL

Afford Instruction and Amusement

FOR FATHERS,

MOTHERS, BROTHERS AND SISTERS,

OLD AND YOUNG,

MALE AND FEMALE.

No family should be without the Compiler.

☞$1,75 could be spent in no more profitable manner than by subscribing for the "COMPILER," which will furnish you with all the news of the day, the markets, the marriages and the deaths occurring in the community, with choice selections of literature, poetry, wit and humor, and all that will go to make up a first-rate Family Newspaper. Address the Editor and Proprietor, HENRY J. STAHLE. May 18.

Carriages, Buggies, &c.

GOOD AND CHEAP!

THE undersigned would inform his friends and the public generally, that he continues the CARRIAGE-MAKING BUSINESS, in all its branches, at his establishment, in East Middle Street, (near the east end,) Gettysburg, Pa., where he has on hand a first-rate lot of work, and is prepared to put up to order whatever may be desired in his line, viz:—Rockaway and Boat-Body *Carriages; Falling-Top, Rock-away & Trotting Buggies, Jersey Wagons, &c.*

With good workmen and good materials, he can pledge his work to be of the best quality—and his prices are among the lowest.

☞Repairing done at short notice, and at reasonable rates. Country produce taken in exchange for work. Call!

JACOB TROXEL.

June 15, 1857.

TO THE COUNTRY.

GOOD NEWS.

I HAVE rented the Foundry for the ensuing year, and am prepared to make the different kinds of Castings usually made at a Foundry. I will keep constantly on hand the different kinds of PLOUGHS, Points, Shares, Cutters, &c.: Pots, Kettles, Pans, Washing Machines, &c.; Stoves and Machinery; Porches, Verandah's and Cemetery Fencing made and put up with dispatch.

All orders will be attended to promptly; but being without capital, and money being necessary to carry on the business, I will be compelled to sell for cash, but on all country work 5 per cent. will be deducted. Suitable trade will be taken, if delivered at the time of purchasing. Give us a call.

E. M. WARREN.

Gettysburg, June 1, 1857.

Attention, One and All!

NOW IS THE TIME

To Have Your Picture Taken.

SAMUEL WEAVER having provided himself with an entire new and splendid SKY-LIGHT DAGUERREAN ROOM at his residence in West Middle street, opposite Prof. Jacobs, one square West of Baltimore street, where he is now prepared to furnish

Ambrotypes and Daguerreotypes,

in every style of the art, which he will warrant to give entire satisfaction. His long experience and superior apparatus give him advantages seldom furnished by Daguerrean establishments out of the city. He has a large number of specimens at his Gallery, in Chambersburg street, where he will continue as heretofore, which the public are requested to call and examine.

☞Charges from 50 cents to $10. Hours of operating from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. Gold Lockets, Breastpins, suitable for miniatures, always on hand, at the very lowest prices.

☞*Children will not be taken for less than* $1'00.

☞AMBROTYPES taken from one dollar and upwards, and in the best style.

July 20, 1856. tf

Bringman & Aughinbaugh,

STILL AHEAD!

WE are just receiving a *new* lot of **Hats, Caps, Boots & Shoes**—of the very latest Spring styles, and intend selling at small profits. Call and see them before purchasing elsewhere. Remember the place, Paxton's old stand, Chambersburg street. March 23.

Hanover B. Railroad.

TRAINS over the Hanover Branch Railroad now run as follows:

First Train leaves Hanover at 9 A. M., with Passengers for York, Harrisburg, Columbia and Philadelphia. This Train also connects with the Express for Baltimore, arriving there at 12 M.

Second Train leaves at 2.15 P. M., with Passengers for Baltimore and intermediate places, and returns with passengers from York, &c.

Aug. 3. J. LEIB, Agent.

Removed to Hanover.

FRANCIS J. WILSON, late of the Washington House at Abbottstown, has taken HERSHEY'S OLD AND POPULAR STAND, in Hanover, where he will be happy to entertain all who may patronize him. His Table is supplied with the best the market and garden can afford, and his Bar with the choicest of liquors. His Stables are commodious, and attended by careful Ostlers. Give him a call. You will always find FRANK, on the spot, ready and willing to make everybody comfortable. [April 27, 1857.

Cigars and Tobacco.

A LOT of extra fine Cigars, of choice brands; very superior Cavindish, Congress, and Natural-leaf Tobacco, for sale by

E. H. MINNIGH.

QUEENS-WARE, Cedar-ware and endless variety of Household articles, to be had very cheap at FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS.

QUEENSWARE, China, Glass and Stoneware—a large assortment and selling cheap, at COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

A FACT.—MONEY SAVED by buying your Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes at *Bringman & Aughinbaugh's.*

MEN'S and Boys' Boots, Shoes, Gaiters and Slippers, of all kinds, and at all prices, as cheap as the cheapest, at COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

MUSIC.—Violins, Flutes, Guitars, Accordeons, Harmonicans,—in short, from a Seraphima down to a Jew's Harp—now on hand and for sale at SAMSON'S.

MEN'S and Boys' SUMMER HATS of all kinds, to wit:—Straw, Chip, Braid, Panama, Otter Skin, Fur and Wool at all prices, according to quality, at

May 18. COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

MISSES' and Children's Flats of all kinds and at very low prices at COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

FRUITS and Confections, nice and fresh, just from the city, to be had at GILLESPIE & THOMAS'.

LADIES' LIGHT KID BOOTS.—A fine assortment of Kid Boots both for Ladies and Misses, just received and for sale by

July 20. 1t WM. BOYER.

WALKING CANES, for gentlemen, of various kinds, just received by *Bringman & Aughinbaugh.*

CANDLES AT 16 CENTS.—A first rate article of Mould Candles can be had, at 16 cents per pound, at NORBECK'S, Kerr's old corner.

FLOUR, CORN & OATS bought at all times by J. NORBECK, corner of Baltimore and High streets.

GROCERIES.—A fresh supply of Molasses, Sugar and Coffee, just received and for sale cheap by E. H. MINNIGH.

LADIES Gaiters, Buskins, and Sandles for sale cheap at BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH'S.

SHERIFFALTY.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—Encouraged by numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF at the next election, (subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.) Should I be nominated and elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of the office with promptness and fidelity.

ISAAC LIGHTNER.

Mountjoy tp., April 6, 1857.

SHERIFFALTY.

FELLOW-CITIZENS of Adams county:—I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF at the October election, (subject to the Democratic nomination.) If I should be so lucky as to be nominated and be elected, I shall pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office with sobriety and fidelity.

SAMUEL SPANGLER.

Mountplessant tp., April 20, 1857.

SHERIFFALTY.

TO the Voters of Adams county: Encouraged by numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF at the next election, (subject to the American Republican County Convention.) Should I be elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of the office with promptness and fidelity.

ISAAC LEEPER.

Cumberland twp., April 13, 1857.

PROTHONOTARY.

WE are authorized to announce that Dr. C. E. GOLDSBOROUGH, of Huntierstown, will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary—subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention—at the ensuing election.

June 15, 1857.

REGISTER & RECORDER.

TO the Independent Voters of Adams co.—Fellow Citizens:—The undersigned offers himself to your consideration as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder of Adams county, (subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention,) and respectfully solicits your support and suffrages. Should I be nominated and elected, my endeavours shall be to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and impartiality.

JOHN L. GUBERNATOR.

Conowago tp., April 27, 1857.

REGISTER & RECORDER.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—At the solicitation of numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of Register & Recorder, at the next election, (subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.) Should I be nominated and elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

WM. OVERDEER.

Bendersville, June 8, 1857.

REGISTER & RECORDER.

TO the Voters of Adams County.—Fellow citizens: Being encouraged by numerous friends, I offer myself to your consideration as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder at the next election, (subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention.) And should I receive the nomination and be elected, I shall duly appreciate your confidence, and promise to discharge the duties of the office promptly and with fidelity.

Your obedient servant.

ZACHARIAH MYERS.

Tyrone tp., April 27, 1857.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—Fellow-Citizens:—Encouraged by the solicitations of numerous friends, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention. Should I be honored with your confidence and elected, I pledge my best efforts to a faithful and impartial administration of the duties of the office.

DAVID McCREARY.

Gettysburg, July 6, 1857.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

TO the voters of Adams county:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of REGISTER AND RECORDER, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention. Should I be nominated and elected, I pledge myself to a faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of the office.

ALEXANDER COBEAN.

Gettysburg, Aug. 3, 1857.

CLERK OF THE COURTS.

TO THE VOTERS OF ADAMS COUNTY.—The undersigned, at the solicitations of numerous friends, offers himself to your consideration as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Courts, at the next election, (subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.) Should I be nominated and elected, the people may rely upon a faithful discharge of duty on my part.

GEORGE BUSHMAN.

Cumberland twp., June 29, 1857.

CLERK OF THE COURTS.

AT the solicitation of numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Courts, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. Should I be so fortunate as to receive the nomination and be elected, I pledge myself to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability. HENRY G. WOLF.

Gettysburg, Aug. 3, 1857.

CLERK OF THE COURTS.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—I offer myself as a candidate for Clerk of the Courts. Should I be nominated and elected I pledge myself to a prompt and faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

WILLIAM YOUNG.

Mountjoy twp., Aug. 3, 1857.

Wm. B. M'Clellan,

Attorney at Law.

OFFICE on the south side of the Public Square, 2 doors west of the Sentinel office.

Gettysburg, August 22, 1853.

D. M'Conaughy,

Attorney at Law,

(Office removed to one door West of Buehler's Drug & Book-store, Chambersburg street.)

Attorney & Solicitor for Patents and Pensions,

BOUNTY Land Warrants, Back-pay suspended Claims, and all other claims against the Government at Washington, D. C.; also American claims in England. Land Warrants located and sold, or bought, and highest prices given. Agents engaged in locating warrants in Iowa, Illinois and other Western States.

☞Apply to him personally or by letter.

Gettysburg, Nov. 21, 1853.

Edw. B. Buehler,

Attorney at Law,

WILL faithfully and promptly attend to all business entrusted to him. He speaks the German language. Office at the same place, in South Baltimore street, near Forney's drug store, and nearly opposite Danner & Ziegler's store.

Gettysburg, March 20.

J. Lawrence Hill, M. D.,

DENTIST.

HAS his Office one door west of the Lutheran church, in Chambersburg street, and opposite Grammer's store, where those wishing to have any **Dental Operation** performed are respectfully invited to call.

REFERENCES: Dr. D. Gilbert, Dr. C. N. Berluchy, Dr. D. Horner, Rev. C. P. Krauth, D. D., Rev. H. L. Baugher, D. D., Rev. Prof. William M. Reynolds, Rev. Prof. M. Jacobs, Prof. M. L. Stœver.

Gettysburg, April 11, 1853. tf

2,000 PIECES OF WALL PAPER just received and for sale at COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

JUST IN SEASON

AND NEVER OUT OF SEASON!

FARMERS, read this, and then come and buy, for we still have "a few more left!" The subscriber takes this method of calling the attention of the public in general to that valuable piece of machinery, styled

Herth's Patent Hay Hoister and Manure Excavator.

Having the right of all Adams county, he will sell either machines or township rights.

H. G. CARR.

☞Also, at the same place, you can be accommodated with as fine BUGGIES as can be got up in the State for the same money—constantly kept on hand.

Repairing done, neatly and cheaply, at short notice. All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for work.

Gettysburg, May 18, 1857. 6m

REMOVAL.

Alex. Frazer, Watch and Clock-maker,

HAS removed his shop to Carlisle street, below Hoke's store, where he will always be happy to attend to the calls of customers. Thankful for past favors, he hopes, by strict attention to business and a desire to please, to merit and receive the patronage of the public.

Gettysburg, May 18, 1857.

James Brown's

GRAMMATICAL WORKS.

THE FIRST BOOK of the Rational System of English Grammar. 25 cts.

THE SECOND BOOK of the Rational System of English Grammar, designed to teach the process of Analysing the English Language with sound judgment; and the art of using it with grammatical propriety. 31 cts.

These works are now used in the Public Schools in the First School District of Pennsylvania.

THE THIRD BOOK of the Rational System of English Grammar, designed to enable the learner to become most thoroughly acquainted with the nature and use of the PREPOSITIONS, and may be read by him either in or out of school. 50 cts.

BROWN'S GRAMMATICAL READER. This Book sets aside the old Grammars, exposes their defects, demonstrates the little use of attending to them, and presents to the Teacher the unerring and only way to the Grammar of the English Language. 37½ cts.

For sale by PETER GRIFFEE, 118 ARCH Street, Philadelphia.

March 2, 1857. 6m

Important Discovery.

CONSUMPTION

And all Diseases of the Lungs and Throat are Positively Curable by Inhalation,

WHICH conveys the remedies to the cavities in the lungs through the air passages, and coming in direct contact with the disease, neutralizes the tubercular matter, allays the cough, causes a free and easy expectoration, heals the lungs, purifies the blood, imparts renewed vitality to the nervous system, giving that tone and energy so indispensable for the restoration of health. To be able to state confidently that Consumption is curable by inhalation, is to me a source of unalloyed pleasure. It is as much under the control of medical treatment as any other formidable disease: ninety out of every hundred cases can be cured in the first stages, and fifty per cent. in the second; but in the third stage it is impossible to save more than five per cent, for the Lungs are so cut up by the disease as to bid defiance to medical skill.—Even, however, in the last stages, Inhalation affords extraordinary relief to the suffering attending this fearful scourge, which annually destroys ninety-five thousand persons in the United States alone; and a correct calculation shows that of the present population of the earth, eighty millions are destined to fill the Consumptive's grave.

Truly the quiver of death has no arrow so fatal as Consumption. In all ages it has been the great enemy of life, for it spares neither age nor sex, but sweeps off alike the brave, the beautiful, the graceful and the gifted. By the help of that Supreme Being from whom cometh every good and perfect gift, I am enabled to offer to the afflicted a permanent and speedy cure in Consumption. The first cause of tubercles is from impure blood, and the immediate effect produced by their deposition in the lungs is to prevent the free admission of air into the air cells, which causes a weakened vitality through the entire system. Then surely it is more rational to expect greater good from medicines entering the cavities of the lungs than from those administered through the stomach: the patient will always find the lungs free and the breathing easy, after Inhaling remedies. Thus, Inhalation is a *local remedy*, nevertheless it acts constitutionally, and with more power and certainty than remedies administered by the stomach. To prove the powerful and direct influence of this mode of administration, chloroform inhaled will entirely destroy sensibility in a few minutes, paralyzing the entire nervous system, so that a limb may be amputated without the slightest pain; inhaling the ordinary burning gas will destroy life in a few hours.

The inhalation of ammonia will rouse the system when fainting or apparently dead.—The odor of many of the medicines is perceptible in the skin a few minutes after being inhaled, and may be immediately detected in the blood. A convincing proof of the constitutional effects of inhalation, is the fact that sickness is always produced by breathing foul air—is not this positive evidence that proper remedies, carefully prepared and judiciously administered through the lungs should produce the happiest results? During eighteen years' practice, many thousands suffering from diseases of the lungs and throat, have been under my care, and I have effected many remarkable cures, even after the sufferers had been pronounced in the last stages, which fully satisfies me that consumption is no longer a fatal disease. My treatment of consumption is original, and founded on long experience and a thorough investigation. My perfect acquaintance with the nature of tubercles, &c., enables me to distinguish readily, the various forms of disease that simulate consumption, and apply the proper remedies, rarely being mistaken even in a single case. This familiarity, in connection with certain pathological and microscopic discoveries, enables me to relieve the lungs from the effects of contracted chests, to enlarge the chest, purify the blood, inpart to it renewed vitality, giving energy and tone to the entire system.

Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States and Canadas by patients communicating their symptoms by letter. But the cure would be more certain if the patient should pay me a visit, which would give me an opportunity to examine the lungs and enable me to prescribe with much greater certainty, and then the cure could be effected without my seeing the patient again.

G. W. GRAHAM, M. D.,

Office, 1131 *Filbert St.*, (*old No.* 109,) *below* 12*th*,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

July 20, 1857. 1y

Bounty Land Claims.

THE undersigned will attend promptly to the collection of claims for Bounty Lands under the late act of Congress. Those who have already received 40 or 80 acres, can now receive the balance, by calling on the subscriber and making the necessary application.

JOEL B. DANNER.

Gettysburg, March 12, 1855. tf

Flour for Sale.

IF you want a good barrel of Flour, call at HOKE'S STORE, as he has made arrangements to have always the best, which he will sell at 25 cents advance.

May 5. JOHN HOKE.

Candles and Soap.

SPERM, Adamantine, Patent and Mould Candles, Castile, Olive, Home-made, Eureka, Veriegated, and Rosin Soaps, for sale by E. H. MINNIGH.

ALWAYS ON HAND.—Silk and Soft Hats of every description, and for sale cheap at BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH'S.

THE FARMERS' & MECHANICS'

Savings Institution of Adams Co.

THIS Institution receives deposites for which it pays interest as follows:

For over 10 months, 4 per cent. per annum. For 3 and not over 10 months, 3 per cent. per annum. For transient deposites, not less than 30 days, 2 per cent. per annum, payable on demand without notice.

A joint fund (capital) of $10,000 has been paid in.

For loans apply on Wednesday.

Sums received on deposite as low as a dime. Interest to be allowed whenever the deposites amount to $5.00, and on each additional $5.00 and upwards.

Office in South West Corner of Public Square, next to George Arnold's store. Open daily from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., and for receiving deposites every Saturday, from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

President,
GEORGE THRONE.
Treasurer & Secretary,
GEORGE ARNOLD.
Directors,

John Brough,	John Horner,
Samuel Durboraw,	George Arnold,
A. Heintzelman,	Jacob Musselman,
D. McCreary,	D. McConaughy,
William Culp,	John Mickley,
Robert Horner,	John Throne.

April 6, 1857.

New Hardware Store.

THE subscribers would respectfully announce to their friends and the public that they have opened a Hardware Store, in Baltimore street, adjoining the residence of David Ziegler, Gettysburg, in which they always intend to offer to the public a large and general assortment of

Hardware, Iron, Steel, Groceries,

CUTLERY, COACH TRIMMINGS, SPRINGS, AXLES,

SADDLERY,

Cedar-ware, Shoe Findings,

Paints, Oils, and Dye-stuffs,

in general including every description of articles in the above line of business, to which they invite the attention of Coach-makers, Blacksmiths, Carpenters, Cabinet-makers, Shoe-makers, Saddlers, and the public generally. Our stock having been selected with great care and purchased for cash, we guarantee (for the ready money,) to dispose of any part of it on as reasonable terms as they can be purchased anywhere.

We particularly request a call from our friends, and earnestly solicit a share of public favor, as we are determined to establish a character for selling Goods at low prices and doing business on fair principles.

JOEL B. DANNER,
DAVID ZIEGLER.

Gettysburg, June 9, 1851. tf

JUST FROM THE CITY,

With a Larger Stock than Ever!

JACOB NORBECK has just received from the city a large stock of GROCERIES, FISH, &c.,—the largest he has yet offered to the public, and which he is now opening, at his new location, *Kerr's Corner*, on Baltimore street. Give him a call! You will find his

Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Salt, Teas,

and everything else, the best and the cheapest to be had in town—he having bought at low rates, and being determined to sell fast at small profits. Recollect, Kerr's old corner, Baltimore and High Streets.

Gettysburg, May 11, 1857.

REMOVAL.

AND NEW FIRM.

THE undersigned respectfully inform their friends and the public in general, that they have commenced the Cabinet and Chair-making business, in Baltimore street, near Middle, where they will manufacture all kinds of FURNITURE, such as Dressing and Common Bureaus, Tables of various descriptions, Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Stands, and every other article in their line—ALL of the best workmanship and good materials, which will enable them to warrant their work. Also, every variety of CHAIRS.

COFFINS made at short notice, and in the various styles.

House Painting and Papering attended to, and done in the best manner.

Their prices will be as low as the lowest, as all who may patronize them will acknowledge.

☞Lumber and country produce taken in exchange for work.

NORBECK & REILLEY.

Gettysburg, Feb. 23, 1857. 1y

Health or Sickness?

CHOOSE BETWEEN THEM.

Holloway's Pills.—The blood furnishes the material of every bone, muscle, gland and fibre in the human frame. When pure, it secures health to every organ; when corrupt, it necessarily produces disease. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS operate directly upon the elements of the stream of life, neutralizing the principle of disease, and thus radically curing the malady, whether located in the nerves, the stomach, the liver, the bowels, the muscles, the skin, the brain, or any other part of the system.

Used Throughout the World!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS are equally efficacious in complaints common to the whole human race, and in disorders peculiar to certain climates and localities.

Alarming Disorders.

Dyspepsia, and derangement of the liver, the source of infirmity and suffering, and the cause of innumerable deaths, yield to these curatives in all cases, however aggravated, acting as a mild purgative, alterative and tonic; they relieve the bowels, purify the fluids, and invigorate the system and the constitution at the same time.

General Weakness—Nervous Complaints.

When all stimulants fail, the renovating and bracing properties of these Pills give firmness to the shaking nerves and enfeebled muscles of the victim of general debility.

In cases of the fracture of bones, injuries caused by steam explosions, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Rheumatism, Stiffness of the *Joints, and contraction of the sinews*, it is employed and warmly recommended by the faculty. This marvelous remedy has been introduced by its inventor in person into all the leading Hospitals of Europe, and no private household should be without it.

Undeniable Testimony.

The Medical Staff of the French and English Armies in the Crimea have officially signed their approval of Holloway's Ointment, as the most reliable dressing for sabre cuts, stabs, and gun-wounds. It is also used by the surgeons of the Allied Navies.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bunions	Rheumatism	Sore Throats
Burns	Ringworm	Sores of all kinds
Chapped Hands	Salt Rheum	Sprains
Chilblains	Scalds	Stiff Joints
Fistula	Skin Diseases	Tetter
Gout	Swelled Glands	Ulcers
Lumbago	Sore Legs	Venereal Sores
Mercurial Eruptions	Sore Breasts	Wounds of all kinds
Piles	Sore Heads	

***Sold at the Manufactories of Professor HOLLOWAY, 80 Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London, by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicine throughout the United States and the civilized world, in pots, at 25 cents, 62½ cents, and $1 each.

☞There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each pot.

☞**Caution!**—None are genuine unless the words "*Holloway, New York and London,*" are discernable as a *water-mark* in every leaf of the book of directions around each pot or box; the same may be plainly seen by *holding the leaf to the light.* A handsome reward willbe given to any one rendering such information as may lead to the detection of any party or parties counterfeiting the medicines or vending the same, knowing them to be spurious.

Sept. 1, 1856. eowly

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4 BOXES Oranges and Lemons, in Store, and will be sold cheaper than anywhere else. Call and see at

E. H. MINNIGH'S.

TWO DAILY LINES

TO HANOVER.

EXTRA ACCOMMODATIONS.—The undersigned returns his thanks to the public for the encouragement heretofore extended to him, and takes pleasure in announcing that he has completed arrangements by which TWO DAILY LINES of Coaches will run between Gettysburg and Hanover, to connect with the trains to and from Baltimore, York, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, &c. Persons desiring tickets or information will call on the undersigned, or on CHARLES TATE, Ticket Agent, at the Eagle Hotel, in Chambersburg street.

☞Special attention given to all packages, &c., or other business entrusted to the undersigned between Gettysburg and Hanover, which will be promptly and carefully attended to.

☞The undersigned has also effected arrangements by which he will be able to supply Coaches, Stages, &c., for Funerals and other occasions, at moderate charges.

NICHOLAS WEAVER.

Gettysburg, April 13, 1857.

Stauffer & Harley.

Cheap Watches and Jewelry.

WHOLESALE and Retail, at the Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store, No. 96 North Second street, corner of Quarry, Philadelphia.

Gold Lever Watches, full jeweled, 18 carat cases, $28 00; Gold Lepines, 10 carat, $24 00; Silver Levers, full jeweled, $12 00; Silver Lepines, jewels, $9 00; superior Quartiers, $7 00 Gold Spectacles, $7 00; fine Silver do. $1 50; Gold Bracelets, $3 00; Ladies' Gold Pencils, $1 00; Silver Tea Spoons, set, $5 00; Gold Pens, with pencil and silver holder, $1 00.

Gold Finger Rings, 37½ cents to $80; Watch Glasses, plain, 12½ cents; patent 18¾; Lunet 25; other articles in proportion. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for.

STAUFFER & HARLEY.

On hand, some gold and silver Levers and Lepines, still lower than the above prices.

Oct. 20, 1856. 1y

Tailoring.

Removed a Few Doors South of the Old Stand.

J. H. SKELLY respectfully informs his old customers and the public generally, that he continues the *TAILORING BUSINESS*, near his old stand, in South Baltimore street, where he will be happy to accommodate all who may patronize him. All work entrusted to his care warranted to fit and be of most substantial make. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a continuance of public patronge.

☞*The New York Spring and Summer Fashions* are received. Call and see them.

Gettysburg, April 9, 1855.

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10 Per Cent. Interest.

A NEW SAVINGS INSTITUTION.—IF you want to invest your money with a certain return of good interest, and at the same time furnish to your families that which will be profitable and useful—buy all your Goods at **Fahnestocks' Cheap Store.** They have received, and are constantly adding every thing new and desirable to their stock.

April 27, 1857. tf

New Millinery.

MISS LOUISA KATE LITTLE wishes to inform the Ladies of town and country, that she is now prepared to execute Millinery in all its branches, in West Middle street, a few doors below Mr. George Little's store.—Work done cheaper than elsewhere in town. Please call and see.

April 21, 1856.

Diamond Tonsor.

JOHN W. TIPTON, *Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser*, can at all times be found prepared to attend to the calls of the people, at the *Temple*, in the Diamond, adjoining the County Building. From long experience, he flatters himself that he can go through all the ramifications of the **Tonsorial Department** with such an infinite degree of skill, as will meet with the entire satisfaction of all who may submit their chins to the keen ordeal of his razors. He hopes, therefore, that by his attention to business, and a desire to please, he will merit as well as receive a liberal share of public patronage. The sick will be attended to at their private dwellings.

Gettysburg, Jan. 8, 1855. tf

The Ladies

WILL find it to their advantage to call at Fahnestock Brothers, and see their large and cheap stock of Silks, Challis, Lawns, Ducals, Tamartines, Delames, Calicoes, Ginghams, &c., which are selling cheap at

FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS,
Sign of the Red Front.

April 13, 1857.

Flour! Flour!

THE undersigned continues the Flour business as heretofore. He sells by the barrel or any smaller quantity. By taking SMALL PROFITS he can buy as high and sell as low as anybody else, and by always endeavoring to keep none but the best, he hopes to merit and receive a continuance of liberal patronage.

WM. GILLESPIE.

Oct. 8, 1855. At the Post Office.

THE LARGEST

Chair & Furniture Establishment

In Baltimore.

MATHIOT'S GAY ST. WAREROOMS, *No. 25 North Gay street*, near Fayette, where are kept always on hand, or made to order, every style of French TETE-A-TETES, in Plush, Hair, Cloth or Brocatelle.

French Full Stuff and Medallion Parlor ARM CHAIRS, in Plush, Hair, Cloth or Brocatelle.

French Full Stuff Carved PARLOR CHAIRS, in sets, with Plush, Hair, Cloth or Brocatelle.

SOFAS, half French Spring Mahogany, and Walnut Parlor CHAIRS, in Hair, Cloth or Plush.

ROCKING CHAIRS—various designs, in Hair, Cloth and Plush.

Stuff Spring LOUNGES—a large assortment always on hand, or any pattern made or covered with any goods to order.

CHAMBER SUITS—in Mahogany or Walnut, complete, from $34 up.

CANE CHAIRS and Rocking do.—the largest assortment ready made in any one house in the United States—from $12 a dozen up.

Bar Room, Office and Dining CHAIRS, in Oak, Walnut or Mahogany, with Cane, Wood or Stuffed Seats—an assortment embracing over 50 dozen.

Wood seat CHAIRS and SETTEES and Rocking Chairs—over 100 dozen.

A. MATHIOT, 25 North Gay Street, near Fayette street.

May 18, 1857. 1y

EIGHT-DAY, Thirty-hour and Alarm Clocks and Time-pieces, Watches, and a fine lot of Jewelry, at SAMSON'S.

BOOTS AND SHOES made to order, of the best material, and by good workmen.—Call at *Bringman & Aughinbaugh's.*

SILVER.—A fine lot of Silver Spoons and Silver Forks, as low as city prices, now to be had at SCHICK'S. Call soon, as they sell rapidly.

A LARGE lot of SUMMER CLOTHING, selling at very small profits at COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

To Those Who Want Farms.

A FARM WITHIN THE REACH OF EVERY MAN

THE RIDGWAY FARM COMPANY has made arrangements by which all who desire to settle or purchase a home can do so.

The Farms consist of the best limestone soil of the most superior quality for farming, in a rapidly improving place, into which an extensive emigration is now pouring. The property is located in Elk county, Pennsylvania, in the midst of a thriving population of some 10,000. The climate is perfectly healthy, and the terrible plague of the western fever is unknown. It also has an abundance of the best quality of Coal and Iron. The price to buy it out is from $3 to $20 per acre, payable by instalments, to be located at the time of purchasing, or a share of 25 acres entitling to locate the same for $300, payable $6 per month, or 12½ acres payable $4 per month. Discount—for every sum of $100 and under, paid in advance, a discount of 5 per cent. will be allowed, and for over $100 a discount of 10 per cent.

In considering the advantages of emigrating to this locality the following are presented:

First—The soil is a rich limestone, capable of raising the heaviest crops, owing to which this settlement has attained its present great prosperity.

Second—It is the centre of the great North West Coal Basin, and is destined soon to become one of the greatest business places in the State. It will supply the great Lake market, (according to population and travel the greatest in the Union.) It has five workable veins of the best Bituminous Coal, amounting in the aggregate to over 22 feet, which makes 22,000 tons of coal under each acre. This will make the land of inestimable value.

The eminent state geologist, Dr. Chas T. Jackson, of Boston, has made a geological survey of the land, and analysed the coal, the iron ore and the limestone. This report together with maps will be furnished to inquirers.

Fourth—Three railroads are laid out thro' this property. The Sunbury and Erie Railroad gives us a market for our coal to the lakes—it runs from Erie to Philadelphia. A large part of this road has been finished, and is now in running order. A heavy force is now working from Erie towards our land in the western direction, the means for the completion of which have been raised—it will soon be finished. The Allegheny Valley Railroad connects us with New York, Boston and Pittsburg. The Venango Road connects us with the West.

There are already good Turnpike Roads running through this property, various other roads have been opened to accommodate the emigration and settlement which has already taken place.

There is no opportunity equal to it now offered to the man who wants to provide himself a home in an easy way, and make a settlement where he can live in prosperity and independence in a climate PERFECTLY HEALTHY. No case of the fever ever having been known to occur in this settlement. It is not like going to the backwoods of the West, among perhaps intolerant people, where there is *no society, churches, or schools*, where the price of land is high, and where the emigrant, after being used to the healthiest climate in the world, has to endure sickness and pain, and perhaps ruins his health and that of his family. But here is a thriving settlement having three towns, containing churches, schools, hotels, stores, saw mills, grist mills, and everything desired. There is a cash market at hand. The lumber trade last year amounted to over two hundred million feet of lumber. In a short time, owing to the coal, it will become still more valuable, as a number of iron works and manufactories will soon be started; they are at present starting them extensively at Warren. Even for those who do not wish to go there, the payments are such that they can easily *buy a farm to save* their rising families from want in the future, or to gain a competence by the rise which will take place in the value of lands. By an outlay scarcely missed, a substantial provision can be made.

Persons should make early application, apply or write to E. Jefferies, Secretary, No. 130 Walnut Street, below Fifth, Philadelphia. Letters carefullly answered giving full information.

Shares or tracts of land can be bought or secured by letter enclosing the first instalment of five dollars, when the subscriber will be furnished with books, maps, &c. Warrantee Deeds given. Persons can also purchase from our Agents.

Route from Philadelphia to Tyrone on the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, and thence by Stage to the land. This is a delightful season to visit St. Mary's—the best hotel accommodation is afforded. Enquire for E. C. Schultz, Esq., the Agent for the property at St. Mary's.

June 8, 1857. 3m

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25 WITNESSES;

OR,

THE FORGER CONVICTED.

JOHN S. DYE IS THE AUTHOR,

Who has had 10 years experience as a Banker and Publisher, and author of *A Series of Lectures at the Broadway Tabernacle,*

when, for 10 *successive nights*, over

☞ 50,000 People ☜

Greeted him with rounds of applause, while he exhibited the manner in which Counterfeiters execute their frauds, and the surest and shortest means of Detecting them!

The Bank Note Engravers all say he is the greatest Judge of Paper Money living.

GREATEST DISCOVERY

OF THE PRESENT CENTURY FOR DETECTING COUNTERFEIT BANK NOTES.

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The Muse.

THE LITTLE COFFIN.

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'Twas a tiny, rosewood thing,
Eben bound, and glittering
With its stars of silver white,
Silver tablet, blank and bright,
Downy pillowed, satin lined.
That I, loitering, chanced to find,
'Mid the dust, and scent and gloom
Of the undertaker's room,
Waiting, empty—ah! for whom?

Ah! what love-watched cradle bed
Keeps to-night the nestling head,
Or on what soft, pillowing breast
Is the cherub form at rest,
That ere long, with darkened eye,
Sleeping to no lullaby,
Whitely robed, and still, and cold,
Pale flowers slipping from its hold,
Shall this dainty couch enfold?

Ah! what bitter tears shall stain
All this satin sheet like rain,
And what towering hopes be hid
'Neath this tiny coffin lid,
Scarcely large enough to bear
Little words that must be there,
Little words, cut deep and true,
Bleeding mothers' hearts anew—
Sweet pet name, and "AGED TWO!"

Oh! can sorrow's hovering plume
Round our pathway cast a gloom,
Chill and darksome as the shade
By an infant's coffin made?
From our arms an angel flies,
And our startled, dazzled eyes,
Weeping round its vacant place,
Cannot rise its path to trace,
Cannot see the angel face!

The Traveller.

Letter from the East.

Jerusalem—The Holy Sepulcher, the Ancient Temple Wall—Olivet—Newly Discovered Caverns under the City—Bethlehem—Grotto of the Nativity—Cave of Adullum.

Correspondence of the New York Daily News.

DAMASCUS, Syria, June 1, 1857.

My journey outruns my letters. Camp life affords but little time for correspondence. After a fatiguing day in the saddle, one hurries to the luxury of a hard bed and is soon wrapped in forgetfulness of all things earthly. Thus I have traveled on to this ancient city, having traversed the whole extent of the Holy Land from Beersheba to Dan.

As I remain here some days I will resume my letters. There is little new to be said of Jerusalam—there is no city on earth in which more information has been gathered. Possibly its picture may be as fresh to the minds of your readers as it is in my own. I lingered there a fortnight and never left a city with more regret. Concerning its sacred localities I have nothing new to offer. I made no investigation, and had no theories to establish. While superstition on the one hand has multiplied the holy places, unreasonable prejudice on the other has labored to sap the foundations of many a tradition, unquestionably founded on truth. It is better to believe than doubt; and here, on the altar of Christianity, a kind charity should willingly overlook the faults of some of its followers, while it merits them on the common ground of interest to Him who was its founder.

I went to the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. A burst of music met me as I entered. A pealing organ was ringing and echoing among the domes and vaultings and caverns of this ancient sanctuary. Rich incense floated in the air. A choir of many voices were chanting a latin service. Beneath the great dome a procession of priests with censors, books and tapers was moving with solemn step around a small ornamented structure covering the venerated spot where Christendom has worshipped for at least *fifteen hundred years.* I did not understand the services, but I remarked what appeared the deep solemnity and earnestness of those who were partakers in it. On several occasions I went all over the church, an intricate assemblage of many chapels of very irregular forms and positions, but returned always with great interest to the sepulcher, which, whatever may be thought of the truth of its pretentions, is certainly the most solemn of shrines. This little chamber, but a few feet square, admits but four or five persons at a time. Pilgrims are constantly entering and departing. Noiselessly, with deep awe upon their countenances, they drop upon their knees, and press their lips and foreheads against the plain marble slad that covers the reputed sepulchre of Christ. A number of burning golden lamps hang above the tomb. From time to time a silent priest, constantly in attendance, sprinkles a fragrant shower over the kneeling votaries. Not a word is uttered. So profound is the reverence that even whispered prayers are suppressed. One can almost hear the throbbing of burdened hearts that have borne their sorrows hither, perhaps from the ends of the earth, to lay them down at the grave of the Redeemer. Is it an erring and superstitious feeling that prompts a devotion so ardent? "Christ is not here—He has risen as He said;"—yet an angel voice seems to whisper through the silence, "Come see the place where the Lord lay." All this may be a deception. Perhaps the reverence of ages errs! The true sepulcher may be north or east or west—a hundred or a thousand yards. Who knows? What matters it? No such petty question of locality affects the interest that roots me to this spot. Here, on this very stone, thousands and tens of thousands, for centuries and tens of centuries, have bowed and sobbed and prayed. Kings and beggars—lowly and great—all classes and degrees of men, brought hither by a common impulse, have acknowledged one common faith, and joined in one common petition for a share in His redemption, "who died, and was buried, and rose again." Pretended though it be, is there nothing that attracts us to the Holy Sepulcher?

From the roof of the Governor's house on the site of the Tower of Antonia, I had a clear view directly down into the area of the Mosque of Omar. Moslem bigotry refuses the Christian a close survey. This sacred mosque, reverenced next to that of Mecca, stands without any doubt upon, or very near the site of the great Jewish Santuary. Architectually the building is far from handsome. It reminds one of a locomotive "round house" in a railroad depot. It seems, however, to be richly finished. The plan is an octagon, the central part covered by a dome. The exterior is a mosaic of tiles or colored porcelain. A large open space surrounds the building, planted with trees and furnished with ornamental columns, screens and covered places for prayer. In the latter were numerous turbaned heads bowing in repeated prostrations

Just outside the northeast angle of this area is the Pool of Bethesda, now dry and partially filled with rubbish. Near by, the Gate of St. Stephen opens upon the valley of the Kedron. Passing out of this gate, and by the scene of the first Christian martyrdom, I walked southerly along the ancient temple wall. Much of the original massive masonry exists in the lower courses, where it was protected by the ruin of the superior parts. The stones are of great size, four to five feet deep, some measuring over twenty feet in length. They are the "great stones, costly stones and hewed stones," laid by King Solomon himself. The whole size of the temple's area is some 1,000 by 1,500 feet. At its southeast angle the ancient masonry is well preserved. Some of the courses here are six feet in depth. The contrast of this solid stonework, with the subsequent patching and completion of the wall, is very striking. Several different epochs of ruin and reconstruction are visible along the wall. The average height of the wall on the south and east side appears about sixty feet. It may have been much loftier formerly, before frequent ruins raised the ground at the base. The "Golden Gate" now built up, is near the centre on the east side. There are two arched portals with richly sculptured architraves. Looking through a loop-hole, I saw vaults and columns within. The construction is very ancient and may with propriety be referred to the time of Herod. Some make it many centuries earlier.

Passing over the dry bed of the brook Kedron and by the alleged tomb of the Virgin and the Garden of Gethsemane, I climbed the steep slope of Olivet by the path leading to Bethany, many a time trodden by the Saviour's feet. Groves of olive trees still cover the face of the hill looking toward the city. Among them the Son of Man used to wander with his disciples. Here he uttered his pathetic lamentations over Jerusalem, and here he prayed in agony on the night in which he was betrayed. Ascending to the summit of the mountain I climbed the turret of a building connected with the ruined church of the Ascension. The north end of the Dead Sea is clearly visible from this point, the desolate mountains of Moab and Ammon, the hills that encompass Jerusalem, and the entire extent of the city itself on the opposite sde of the deep glen of Jehoshaphat. This scene, the most suggestive, the most deeply interesting on earth, I will not describe. Who does not know it well. My preconceived idea was only modified by finding the outlines of the landscape (toward the city) less strongly undulating than I expected, and the general face of the country more fully cultivated.

Descending further to the South I passed among the ten thousand Jewish tombs that pave the whole surface of this part of the mountain. In the bottom of the valley are the so-called tombs of Absalom, Zachariah, Jehoshaphat and St. James. They are excavated from the rock much in the Petra style. From thence skirting the south of the city, I entered it by the Zion Gate.

One morning I made the circuit of the walls on the fortifications from the Jaffa Gate northerly to St. Stephens, embracing the principal circuit of the city. This walk gave me a perfect idea of the topography of Jerusalem. I was particularly struck with the depression that runs through it northerly from the Tyropœan to the Damascus Gate, dividing the city into two distinct portions, and with the fact that the temple area is overlooked by all parts of Jerusalem, excepting a small portion of the Jewish quarters. There are large unoccupied areas within the present walls. These are filled with ruins of arches, vaults and massive masonry, more or less buried beneath the accumulations of ages.

With a considerable party, in company with Bishop Gobat, of the English and Prussian Church, I visited the Greek and Armenian Convents. We were formally received and entertained in Oriental style with coffee, pipes, and refreshments. The superior and fathers who did the honors were noble looking old men with venerable white beards. The Armenian Convent is very rich. Its church is superbly ornamented. The doors of the shrines are richly inlaid with pearl and tortoise shell, like the wookwork of St. Bruno's Chapel, near Granada.

Afterwards some of us visited the *newly discovered caverns,* which extend under the city. The entrance is outside the walls, a little east of the Damascus Gate. Entering by a small aperture we found ourselves in an immense chamber, extending by various branches to a great distance. The whole has not yet been explored. The place has the appearance of a natural cavern, enlarged by quarrying. The marks of artificial excavations appear everywhere on the rocks. Immense amounts of stone have been removed from these cavities, but when no one can say. The labyrinthine ramifications extend toward the temple, and may be connected with the subterranean vaultings believed to exist there. It would require no little time or labor to explore these chambers fully, but the investigation would be one of the highest interest. The rock is soft light colored limestone without distinct stratification.

From thence we visited the tombs of the kings. This is a large excavation in the Egyptian style, with numerous diverging chambers containing niches for the dead. Tradition ascribes the works to the kings of Judah, though some consider it of the time of the Empress Helena. The small interior chambers of this extensive catacomb were each closed by a stone door opening inward. The broken doors, solid panelled blocks of limestone, still lie in the tombs. They had projecting pivots above and below, fitting into corresponding recesses in the solid rock. The principal entrance into the vaults from the portico was below the level of the floor and apparently concealed. This door is singularly closed. A circular stone about four feet diameter, by fifteen inches thick, *rolls* across it. It stands on edge, fitting into a recess when in place, and into a long channel when opened. The arrangement is interesting as possibly similar to that where the Angel "rolled back the great stone" from the door of the Saviour's sepulcher.

We visited Bethlehem, six miles south. Riding through the little city on the summit of its conspicuous hill, we went to the convent which includes the site of the nativity. Passing through a low iron door, we entered the large church built by Helena 1,500 years ago. It is the oldest Christian church now standing. The building is a large and rich one, somewhat resembling the basilica of Santa Maria Maggiore in Rome.

Thence we descended to the celebrated grotto which lies beneath the chancel of the church. Here in a cave in the original rock is the site which from the earliest ages has been handed down as the stable where the Son of God took upon him our flesh. It is a small chapel, where numerous lamps are kept constantly burning before an altar, beneath which is a silver star bearing this inscription:

"Hic de Virgine Maria Jesus Christus natus est."

There are two other altars in the grotto. One with a marble manger is intended to indicate the spot of the shepherd's adoration, the other that of the Magi. Good pictures hang over the two altars. The other ornaments of the chapel, excepting some lamps of precious metal, are quite plain. Near the grotto of the Nativity is that of St. Jerome, (containing his sepulcher,) where he spent several years of his life and wrote the Vulgate translation of the Scriptures, and where also occurred that "last communion" so vividly painted by Domenichino.

Of the verity of the tradition which fixes the scene of the Nativity in the *grotto* of Bethlehem, but little need be said. The question has been ably examined, and though some still doubt, many are convinced of its truth. The church was built only some 300 years after Christ's crucifixion. The locality of an event like the Messiah's incarnation would not be likely to be lost in so short a time. The City of Bethlehem is a small compact town, and undoubtedly on its original site. This grotto at any rate cannot be *far off* from the manger to which Joseph and the Virgin resorted, because there was no room for them in the inn. The caves in this country are used as pens for cattle and sheep to this day. I have seen them so employed both in Egypt and in the Valley of Jehoshaphat. It is of small profit to dispute about precise localities. On, or very near this spot, occurred that wonderful event which awoke the songs of the angels in Heaven—the promised Messiah, "conceived of the Holy Ghost, was born of the Virgin Mary."

From Bethlehem we pursued our way southerly along the aqueduct of Solomon, which runs on the side of a steep stony valley. In the bottom of this valley, a few miles up, there is an agricultural establishment connected with the English Mission on Mount Zion.—We descended to visit it. The narrow base of the valley is cultivated as a garden, planted with fruit-trees and flowers.

The establishment is designed to cultivate industrious habits among the natives, and to develop the fruitfulness of the country under proper tillage. We took our noon lunch in the garden under the shade of a spreading fig tree, and then set out to visit the cave of Adullum, about an hour and-a-half to the south-east.

The path leads down the same valley. It is very narrow at the bottom, with sides rising rocky and steep. After leaving the gardens there is but a scanty vegetation among ledges and great blocks of limestone which cover the ground. Soon the descent of the valley becomes very great as it begins to plunge downward toward the deep depression of the Dead Sea. Leaving the bottom, now become a wild glen, we followed a sort of goat path along the side, where our mountain ponies scrambled among rocks and loose stones in some difficult and dangerous places.—We left the animals at last at the ruins of an extensive establishment, once perhaps a convent, standing in a wild and desolate spot. It is on a steep hill side, looking down almost perpendicularly into a gulf of several hundred feet.—Wild cliffs rise on the opposite side of the narrow glen, whose windings are seen for some miles below, descending rapidly and filled with mountain debris.

In this strangely savage region the youthful David dwelt when he fled from the hand of Saul. Here he gathered together a company of outlaws, over whom he became a sort of robber captain. Half a mile beyond the ruin, in the side of the precipice along which are the evidences of an ancient road cut in the rock, we came to the cave. A small aperture conducts by several windings into an ample cavern with a lofty roof. Our candles could scarcely send their rays to the rocky ceiling.—Diverging passages lead from this hall, one of which penetrates the mountain a quarter of a mile. The opening in some places is just passable on the hands and knees. There is room in the cavern for the concealment of quite a body of men. The cave of Adullam is mentioned in 1 Sam. xxii. It is supposed that David composed here the 57th and 142d Psalms.

On our return we descended by a scrambling path, and pursued our way among the loose rocks in the bottom of the valley. After some miles of this difficult travelling, where we were often obliged to dismount and lead our horses, we left the glen by a lateral opening on the north, ascending toward Bethlehem. The country immediately about the city is remarkably well cultivated. The steep hillsides are terraced and planted with figs and olives. At the bottom of the valleys are grain fields. In some of these Ruth the Moabitess followed the reapers of Boaz. In one of the deep vales is pointed out the place where the shepherds received the angelic visitation.

Climbing the hill to Bethlehem by a steep rocky road, we stopped to see the ancient well for whose waters David longed in the wilderness. It stands under an old vaulted portico just outside the town. There are two curbs of marble, much worn by the friction of ropes. A crowd of girls were busy at the well drawing water with little leathern buckyts and pouring it into large skins, which they carried off on their shoulders. The scene was quite an Oriental one, and the damsels themselves were many of them very pretty. They were as usual loaded with heavy silver bracelets and with strings of coins on their foreheads. They drew water for us to drink in the patriarchal style, while we stood admiring the simple manners which have existed in this country unchanged since patriarchal days.

On another occasion we took a journey of two days to the northward of Jerusalem, visiting a number of scriptural localities. We slept at Bethel, perhaps on the very ground where Jacob laid down to rest, and where he *dreamed.* The country is a succession of high, stony hills, with but little cultivation. As respects its fertility, Judea is the least inviting portion of Palestine. The villages are nearly all ruins of ancient towns, once strongholds surrounded by walls. They are almost invariably on the summits of hills, located with reference to defence. The population is now small and wretched, living in hovels, or in the half-fallen vaulted houses of their predecessors. The buildings are all of gray limestone, with domed roofs of mud or stone. The men always go armed with guns and swords. The women wear a great deal of ornament, generally composed of numerous silver coins bound in an arch over the head. The little children are good looking, and many of them have remarkably pleasing countenances. Under proper culture they might be trained up into a respectable community.—Their case is almost hopeless, however, under the present government—Moslem bigotry and the unfavorable forms of Christianity in the East.

From Bethel we traveled westward down a deep valley, whose waters flow into the Mediterranean. Down this pass both Joshua and Samuel pursued the routed ranks of the Philistines. We ascended to the upper Bethoron, an ancient fortress on the sharp summit of a projecting knob. The view from hence is very broad to the westward, the central chain of hills that runs through Palestine breaking off here suddenly nearly 2,000 feet. The ranges far to north and south across the lowlands, including the plain of Sharon and the land of the Philistines, bounded by the sea at the distance of some thirty miles. On this lofty elevation the conquering Joshua is thought to have stood when he commanded the sun to stand still upon Gibeon and the moon in the Valley of Ajalon. The latter is a green valley distinctly visible to the west; the former a small town some miles off to the southeast.

I have no room to give you an account of my journey to the Dead Sea without swelling this letter to an unpardonable length. I reserve it, therefore, as well as some notes of my further ramblings through Holy Land, and of Damascus, which is a queer place, the most thoroughly oriental of all the cities of the East, for another occasion. "H."

Miscellaneous.

Editorship.

We have known a very learned gentleman to obligingly bring us a contribution with the remark, that as we were continually occupied, it must doubtless be quite an accommodation to receive a good article once in awhile—and on examining the "good" article in question, we have found three gross grammatical errors, divers sins of awkwardness, and two words mispelled in the first and second sentences. A lecture, which will bear printing as it is delivered, is an exception; and, in a word, there are very few men, who have not served a regular apprenticeship in the types, who can sit down, and, without "halt or let," express their thoughts readily and fluently in writing. Yet, with all this, we daily meet with gentlemen who, because they have made an occasional *hit* in a letter to a friend, or have elaborated a drawling story or poem in some incautious paper, talk dashingly of journalism, and graciously inform us how *they* would make things fly round, if they were only editors.

Singular—every man, no matter how stupid he is, always seems to be morally convinced that if everything else fails, he can either manage a small farm or edit a paper—and experience shows that where there are a hundred educated young men capable of successfully practicing a profession, there is not more than one or two who is really enough of a genius, a scholar, and a man of practical sense, to make a good editor. In fact, though all the world reads papers, there are very few out of the business who have ever taken the pains to acquire much information relative to it—and the natural consequence is, that its difficulties are unappreciated.—*Boston Investigator.*

One of the Wants not Supplied.—The New York Post, referring to the abundance of good food produced in the United States, and the scarcity of individuals competent to prepare it for the table as it ought to be prepared, says:

"We want schools for cooks as much as for physicians; even more, for people want to eat every day, but they only want a doctor occasionally; and they would want one much less frequently if they were better fed, that is, if their food were better prepared. How often does it happen that the professing cooks know how to make good bread or to boil a good potato or a cabbage? It is as much as a man's life is worth to travel through the interior and less frequented portions of our western country, so apt are they at spoiling the produce of the soil in preparing it for the table. In three months a man or woman of fair intelligence could be taught more of the art of preparing the gifts of Providence for the nutriment of man than is possessed by ninty-nine hundredths of the most experienced of our American cooks. Who will move in the matter? Who is prepared to take his rank among our great national benefactors by setting such an institution in motion?"

☞ Marshall Castallane, a rigid disciplinarian, called out the garrison of Lyons one sultry day and made them go through all the movements and incidents of a pitched battle on a small scale. In the midst of terrible volleys of musketry, executed at his orders, he observed two grenadiers who, overpowered by the heat and by exertion, had quietly fallen on the grass. He immediately rode up to them, bursting with rage, and exclaimed, "You cowardly scoundrels, what are you doing here? While your comrades are fighting, you are sleeping! Actually doing nothing!" "I beg your pardon, Marshal," said one of the grenadiers, "we are acting the slain in the battle." The Marshal smiled and turned his horse.

☞ "You have no ducks here?" said a Yankee, who was on a visit to the fens of Lincolnshire during the shooting season. "I was on the Chespeake once in the duck season. The boys got tired of shooting with their double-barrels, and we got a cannon from the town, loaded with a bag of B B shot, hauled her to the river, levelled her and fired. I tell you ducks was thar! We gathered three thousand, and the crippled got away. But that was not all, for the bag the shot was in fell over the head of a greyhead when it came out of the cannon, and I caught him before he got clear."

☞ By the year two thousand, it is probable that manual labor will have utterly ceased under the sun, and the occupation of the adjective "hard-fisted,' will have gone forever. They have now a potato-digging machine, which, drawn by horses down the rows, digs the potatoes, separates them from the dirt, and loads them up in the cart, while the owner walks along side, whistling, with his hands in his pockets.

☞ A Judge charging a jury had occasion very frequently to make use of of the words *mortgager* and *mortgagee.* The foreman of the jury asked the judge the meaning of the words, candidly confessing he di I not know their import. His lordship facetiously explained them thus:

"I NOD to you—you notice me;
I'm the NOD-ER, you the NOD-EE."

Brigham Young a New Yorker.

Both Brigham Young and Heber C. Kimball are New Yorkers. Brigham lived near the line dividing Ontario and Monroe counties, in the town of Victor, at the time he became a Mormon. He had always manifested a proclivity to religious fanaticism, or rather he was a lazy rapscallion, good for nothing except to howl at a camp meeting. He lived in a log shanty, with a dilapidated, patient, suffering wife, surrounded by a host of tow-headed children. Occasionally he made up a lot of axe helves and traded them off for sugar and tea; in other fits of industry he would do a day's work in the hay field for a neighbor, hoe the potatoes in his own little patch, or pound clothes for his wife on a washing day. But his special mission was to go to camp meetings and revivals, were he managed to get his daily bread out of the more wealthy brethern, in consideration of the unction with which he shouted "ga-lor-ah!"—On such occasions Brigham took no thought of the morrow, but cheerfully putting on his old wool hat, would leave his family without flour in the barrel or wood at the door, and telling his wife that the "Lord would provide," he would put off for a week's absence.

Poor Mrs. Brigham managed by borrowing from her neighbors, with the small hope of paying; chopped the wood herself, and with an old sun-bonnet—Navarino style—went to the spring after water, thoroughly convinced that her lot was not of the easiest, and that her husband was, to use a western expression, an "ornary cass," in which sentiment all who knew him joined.—People were getting very tired of Brigham when Mormonism turned up. He was just the man for the religion, and the religion seemed expressly adapted to him. He became an exhorter, held neighborhood meetings, ranted and howled his doctrines into the minds of others as weak as himself, and finally went west with the rest of them, where he has developed his powers, until the poor, miserable, rustic loafer is governor of a territory and the chief prophet of a great religions sect. He has just the mixture of shrewdness and folly which is required for success in fanaticism or quackery. A wiser man could not hold his place. A man must be half fool and half knave to be a successful quack.

Heber C. Kimball was a man of more respectability. He was born a fanatic, and if he were not a Mormon would be something else just like it. In his church—he was a Baptist originally—he was one of those pestilent fellows who want resolutions passed at church meetings withholding fellowship from somebody else, and insist on having a political codicil added to the Bible.—We believe he had some property. He has much more talent than Brigham Young, but is inferior to him in the elements of quackery. He has very respectable relatives now living in the part of Monroe county from which he started.

A Hen House Ravisher.—In Albany a few days since, a hen house belonging to a Mr. Phelps, was broken into and robbed. Mr. Phelps being angry, allowed that he would "lay for the thief," and shoot him. This drew out the following reply:

To Mr. Orsin Felps:—Bein one of that are clas that gits poltry anny way it can be got, and understandin from your advertisement in a newspaper that you have sum chickens left, and that you'd got a pistol and sum blu pil to give to the man what stole 'em, this is to certify that I shall come to-night, and I have got a howitzer with me crammed full of nales, tax and other iron implements. I hav marked your size on the side of a church, and been practisin on it for a week, and don't think I can miss you. So cum on with your pistil and blu pil. After I get through firing at you, I'll carry home the "duds" on the howitzer. Yours,

A HEN HOUSE RAVISHER.

One Ind of the Railroad In.—An Alabamian, a few days since, went out to see the depot of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad. Near the depot were several Irish draymen. Thinking to quiz them, he shouted to one—

"Has the railroad got in?"

"One ind has, sir," was the prompt response.

☞ A woman is either worth a good deal or nothing. If good for nothing, she is not worth getting jealous for; if she be a true woman, she will give no cause for jealousy. A man is a brute to be jealous of a good woman—a fool to be jealous of a worthless one; but is a double fool to cut his throat for either of them.

☞ Widow Grizzle's husband lately died of cholera. In the midst of the most acute bodily pain, after the hand of death had touched him, and while writhing in agony, his gentle wife said to him, "Well, Mr. Grizzle, you needn't kick round so, and wear all the sheets out, if you *are* dying!"

☞ Some "queer fish" in St. Louis, in allusion to the "bill for the benefit of married women" before the Missouri Legislature, asked if they had better not do something for the benefit of the single ladies, and not trouble themselves about other men's wives.

☞ Punch says that every family ought to keep a kitten to amuse the children. They should also keep children to amuse the kitten.

☞ A philosopher who had married a vulgar but amiable girl, used to call her "Brown Sugar," because, he said, she was sweet, but unrefined.

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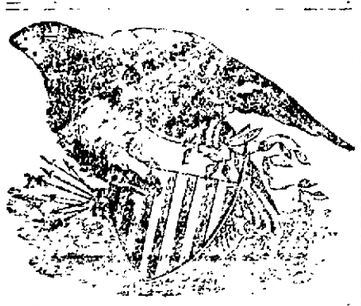

H. J. STABLE, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

GETTYSBURG, PA.

Monday Morning, Aug. 24, 1857.

DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS.

FOR GOVERNOR,

WILLIAM F. PACKER, of Lycoming.

CANAL COMMISSIONER,

NIMROD STRICKLAND, of Chester.

JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT,

WILLIAM STRONG, of Berks,
JAMES THOMPSON, of Erie.

County Committee.

The members of the Democratic Standing Committee of Adams county are requested to meet at Wattles's Hotel, in Gettysburg, ON SATURDAY, THE 5TH OF SEPTEMBER NEXT, at one o'clock P. M. A full attendance is desired. H. J. STABLE, Chairman.

☞The following persons compose the Committee: H. J. Stable, Chairman, Jacob Trostel, Jno. Butt, Jr., Capt. Henry Wilmot, Peter Boblitz, Abraham Krise, of P., Joseph P. McIlvain, Isaac Herbst, Maj. Samuel Lefever, Jacob Rollinsperger, Wm. Ove, Lewis Culp, C. Petersdorf, Wm. H. Gardner, Henry A. Picking, Col. J. J. Amos, Geo. Fleshinger, Henry Myers, Thomas Felix, Jacob Cashman, John Bushey, Sr., Daniel Gerstung, Amos Lefever and Joseph Hahn. Aug. 24, 1857.

☞Gen. W. F. PACKER, the Democratic candidate for Governor, will address the people at the Court-house in York this evening.

☞Col. JACOB M. KUNKLE, of Frederick, has been nominated as the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Frederick, Washington and Cumberland district, Md. He is a gentleman of sterling qualities, an eloquent orator, and a Democrat of the sternest kind.

☞HUGH STEWART, Esq., has been nominated for the Legislature by the Democracy of "old mother Cumberland."

Nominations.—The Democrats of York county have made the following nominations:

Assembly—William W. Wolf and A. Hiestand Glatz; commissioner—Daniel Meisenhelter; auditor—Zachariah B. Heindel; director—Thomas G. Cross; sheriff—Samuel Forscht; coroner—Dr. David S. Peffer; treasurer—John Stouch; prothonotary—Dr. H. G. Bussey; register—A. M. Hershey; clerk of the courts—John Reeser; recorder—George Wehrly.

☞A business letter from a friend at Peoria, Illinois, dated August 16th, contains the following:

"Democracy all right here.

"We have had very *wet* weather for the last few weeks, but now pleasant. The corn crop looks fair for an abundant yield, and other grain is very good. The farmers are rushing their grain into market as fast as they can get it threshed. Our streets are filled with wagons, which makes things look brisk."

A Close Shave.—It is still a matter of doubt who is elected Governor of Missouri. The St. Louis Republican of the 16th instant says that Rollins is 16 votes ahead in 110 counties, leaving six counties to be heard from. This is decidedly a very close shave.

ST. LOUIS, August 19.—The latest advices, received to-day, are favorable to the Democrats, who are generally conceded to have elected their Governor.

☞Nothing has transpired in the world of politics since the election of Mr. Buchanan to the Presidency, which gives us as much gratification to record as the glorious victory over Know Nothingism achieved by the gallant son of Henry Clay. In a district, which, two years ago, gave a Know Nothing majority of SIXTEEN HUNDRED, and last fall gave Fillmore and Donelson six hundred over Buchanan and Breckinridge, James B. Clay is triumphantly elected. Braving all the slander and vituperation heaped upon him by his unscrupulous political enemies—turning neither to the right nor to the left to regard the unmanly assaults of his persecutors—he has won a triumph which will give additional lustre to the sacred name of CLAY. Let all true friends of the Union and the Constitution rejoice that the dark shadow of Know Nothing Plug Uglyism is dispelled from the fields of Ashland.

☞The Alabama Legislature, just elected, is divided politically as follows: The Senate stands twenty-eight Democrats to five Know Nothings, and the House eighty-five Democrats to fifteen Know Nothings. Democratic majority on joint ballot, NINETY-THREE!

☞Three enterprising citizens of Harrisburg, Messrs. James Worrall, J. J. Dull and A. J. Jones, have purchased the old Franklin Railroad, and will re-lay it with heavy T rail.

☞The *Farm Journal*, of Philadelphia, has been discontinued, and the New York *American Agriculturist* will be sent to subscribers in its place. Messrs. Emlen & Co. published a good Journal, and we regret that they did not meet sustaining patronage. We trust the *American Agriculturist* will be patronized and sustained.

☞S. D. ANDERSON, Esq., a political writer of much power, has become sole editor of the Philadelphia *Pennsylvanian*.

State Politics.

Gen. Wm. F. Packer, the Democratic candidate for Governor, will shortly address the people at various points. He will appear before them under the most auspicious circumstances. On every issue he will be impregnable. Beginning with the federal administration, he can point friend and foe to the general welcome that awaited its induction, and has accompanied its calm and constitutional progress. On the Kansas question he is armed with the results of experience. On State policy he can point to the banishment of a worthless paper currency as a triumph of Democratic statesmanship. On the Tariff question, he can refer to the settled and successful experiment of impartial and general legislation. These (very truly remarks *The Press*) are the substantials of the feast he will spread before his hearers. There will be none of the *persiflage* of a mere ranter in his speeches; none of the noise of an aspirant for public favor who has nothing to refer to but professions. We felicitate General Packer upon the easy triumph before him.

Gen. Packer Speaking to the People.—We perceive that some of our cotemporaries are exercised because Gen. Wm. F. Packer, under the instructions of the Democratic State Committee, has conceived it to be his duty to decline the invitation of David Wilmot, the K. N. Republican candidate for Governor, to a public discussion. Some ridiculous contrasts have been drawn in consequence of Gen. Packer's declension. The mere fact that the Democratic candidate for Governor has not deemed it proper to meet his Republican opponent in joint discussion has suggested to certain objectors the example set by Governor Bigler in his memorable canvasses of '51 and '54, and that of Governor Wise, of Virginia, in 1854, and also the Presidential campaign of 1856. If these objectors will look carefully at the instances we have cited, they will find that in no one case has the proposition for a joint discussion been agreed upon by opposing candidates. Mr. Wise canvassed the State of Virginia *alone*, as did his opponent Mr. Flourney. In 1856 the advocates of Republicanism took one range of counties and the advocates of Democracy another. But this is not all. Wherever opposing candidates travel and speak together, which is customary in some of the Southern States, personal collisions are almost certain to follow. In the very last contest in Tennessee, and in several of the districts in Kentucky, the most unhappy conflicts ensued on account of these joint meetings. General Packer, advised by the Democratic State Central Committee, has declined meeting an adversary beforehand. This is all he has done. Mr. Wilmot sought a joint meeting, with nothing to lose by it. He placed all his hopes upon the hazard of the die, and if defeated in the end, would not be more politically ruined than he was at the beginning. The Democratic candidate does not decline meeting the people face to face, everywhere and always. He simply abstains from giving his opponent an opportunity, which, while it could not serve any great public purpose, or advance any public good, might still further irritate the minds of the people on a question which, in the opinion of all honest men, was happily put at rest by the result of the late Presidential election.

We have already announced that Gen. Packer will appear before the people of the different counties of the State between now and the election, and will give all his opponents an opportunity of hearing what he has to say.

Cut Swallow Negroes Whole.—The Wilmington *Herald*, a staunch Republican paper in Illinois, which has swallowed all the other isms of the party without a bone sticking in the throat, has not the anaconda-like property of gulping down "negro equality," though covered with the saliva of "brudderly" feeling and mock philanthropy, previous to deglutition. The editor says: "Whenever negro suffrage becomes one of the planks of the Republican platform, we shall feel free to seek some other political organization, and we think we should find most of our Republican brethren in the same way."

Gross Malpractice.—A prosecution was some time ago instituted against the Commercial Bank of Philadelphia for charging a greater rate of interest than it is permitted to do by its charter. But about the time the case was to be tried, Attorney General Franklin stepped in and entered a *nolle prosequi*—discontinued the suit! Banks are scarcely capable of a more injurious or villainous violation of law than that charged against this Bank, yet the Attorney General shields it from punishment while he admits its guilt, upon the ground that it has promised not to do so again—a promise any detected criminal would make to avoid punishment! Verily it is time to have a Democratic Governor.

☞The Philadelphia *Sun* is working itself into a perspiration! It says to the working men of the State, "if you love freedom and free labor, vote for Wilmot and wages; but if you think that slavery should be extended, and the laborer shorn of his hire, do not waste your vote on Hazlehurst, who cannot possibly be elected, but vote directly for Packer and no pay." We call that tall talk—enthusiastic and excitable, like the gentleman who headed a line of fire buckets, and as fast as they were passed to him he threw the buckets and all into the fire, crying all the while, "pass on the buckets!"

☞An elderly maiden lady requests of the Boston *Post* the insertion of the following:—"Bad taste—Pretty young girls kissing widowers' children." She supposes it would lead to kissing the fathers.

Local Matters.

Court Doings.

The Court attracted a goodly number of people to town. The session occupied but four days, adjourning on Thursday evening. The Associate Judges, however, held Court on Saturday, to attend to some license and road business.

Most of the civil cases were continued, and several on the criminal calendar settled without trial. The only case tried in the Common Pleas was the *Quo Warranto* inquiring into the legality of the last election for Managers of the Gettysburg Railroad Company. The case occupied a day and a half, when the jury, after being out a very short time, found that Messrs. Irwin and Taylor were entitled to 227 votes at the time of the election, and rendered a verdict for the Respondents—the present Board.

A motion for a new trial was filed by the Counsel of the Relators—to be argued at the next Orphan's Court.

IN QUARTER SESSIONS.

COM. vs. WM. COE—Indictment for Larceny—verdict not guilty.

COM. vs. A. M. TOWNSLY—Indictment for Larceny—verdict Guilty, with a recommendation to the mercy of the Court. Sentenced to 30 days imprisonment.

GEORGE JACKSON plead Guilty on Indictment for stealing a horse, the property of David Shultz, and was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment in the Eastern Penitentiary.

MARTIN DECKER plead guilty on an Indictment for Fornication, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $1 and costs.

JOSEPH MARTIN plead guilty to an Indictment for selling Liquor without license, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $10 and costs, and be imprisoned for 30 days.

Tavern License was granted to JACOB MARTIN, New Oxford.

The Gettysburg Railroad

Is a "fixed fact"—*certain*—SURE! The laying of the Rails is now in progress, and by the time this paragraph is printed the workmen will have put down nearly a mile of the track, in perfect running order. A party of half a dozen citizens of this place, happening at Hanover, the other day, took a ride upon a hand car, over the finished part, and being ourself one of the number, we can testify to the happy feelings created in all by the "excursion." The "Iron Horse" will most probably be seen *upon the Gettysburg Railroad* by Wednesday next—to increase steadily in length of trips until this place shall be reached. It is contemplated that by the first of October, or soon after, the cars will run to New Oxford.

The Contractors, in accordance with the wish of the Company, have ordered additional forces of workmen upon the grading of the road, so that the track-layers may not be delayed at any point. Great credit is due the management for accomplishing so much under the circumstances.

New Court House.

The Grand Jury, last week, approved, by a vote of 18 to 4, of the finding of the April Grand Jury, in favor of a new Court-house—the cost not to exceed $15,000, with the old Court-house and County Building. A handsome and sufficiently commodious edifice will doubtless be secured with the means thus indicated, and the whole will be paid off in a few years without the least increase in the county tax. To use a common expression, the tax-payers "won't feel it"—except in the way of comfort when in attendance at Courts. The Commissioners will soon be looking around for a suitable site, and when determined upon, make the necessary preliminary arrangements for the putting up of the building.

Personal.

With Tuesday last expired *twelve* years since we entered upon possession of the *Compiler* establishment. Its prosperity has been steadily on the increase, as the, from time to time, improved appearance of the paper has demonstrated. And with still increasing patronage, our numerous friends and patrons may rely upon our utmost efforts to deserve it. To work, with whatever of earnestness we may possess, for the diffusion of the time-tried and therefore time-honored principles of the Democratic party, we have ALWAYS looked upon as a DUTY, and have never been slow to discharge it. That our efforts in this behalf are appreciated, the large subscription list of the *Compiler* will testify.—For this state of things we are heartily grateful, and shall strive to merit its continuance.

☞The "Independent Blues" were encamped at Black's Dam during Friday and Saturday last, and enjoyed themselves finely. They returned to town on Saturday evening, no doubt regretting that the "good time" had come to a close.

☞A Letter from the East, of a decidedly interesting character—at least the reading of it was so to us—will be found on the first page of this morning's *Compiler*.

☞"Have you a sister? Then love and cherish her with friendship."—*Warnock.*

If you haven't a sister, take somebody else's sister, give the man a brother-in-law in return, treat the lady handsomely, take the *Compiler* and be happy.

A New Band.

We understand, and it affords us pleasure to make the announcement, that a Brass Band is about being organized in this place. Gettysburg has heretofore boasted of its good BANDS, and the one now "on the carpet" will doubtless prove *ditto*. We wish it all success, and may have more to say of it hereafter. It will most probably be connected with the "Independent Blues," after full organization.

☞We trust our Democratic friends everywhere will lend their local newspapers the most generous encouragement; they should all regard it as obligatory upon them not only to subscribe personally, but to use all their influence to induce others to swell the list. Every Democratic newspaper circulated in its county, is a missionary going out to make converts to the true political faith. Where the Democratic press is best supported, there we always look for the largest Democratic majorities.—*Pennsylvanian.*

Black Republican Difficulty.

It appears that the Black Republican party in Mercer county have got into "a perfect muss." The party is split up and the editor of the *Freeman* is out against the ticket. He says that it was nominated through fraud. Now this is what every one outside of that party expected; for the party itself was started in fraud, and has sustained its original character "to perfection."

The Senatorial Conferees from Mercer, Venango and Lawrence, "after long and protracted labor," succeeded in nominating a Mr. Francis, of Lawrence, as a candidate for the Senate, and then repudiated him, it is believed, because he was born in a foreign country, and hence could not, with *a quiet*, be supported by the Know Nothing wing of the party. He must certainly have an exalted opinion of his own civil and political position in society, if he will still cling to the party that will thus meanly repudiate him.

But here again we see the glorious workings of that fusion concern, called a party. After the combination was fairly made, an after thought came up—that it was not a *judicious one*, and there being no moral obligation in *this* way, the Conferees repudiated their own act, and we believe they are yet without a candidate.—*Crawford Democrat.*

Dreadful Steamboat Accident.

Thirteen Men, Women and Children Drowned.—A collision took place at two o'clock on Saturday morning between the steamer Metropolis, Captain Brown, of the Fall River Line, and the propeller J. N. Harris, Captain Smith, on her way from New York to New London, Conn., which resulted in a sad loss of life. The *Express*, of Saturday afternoon, has the following account of the disaster:

When just off New Haven, about two o'clock this A. M., a vessel with one light was observed ahead, and under sails, crossing the steamer's bow. The pilot of the Metropolis supposed her to be a sailing vessel, as she showed but one light, which is the regulation for sailing vessels, steamers carrying two. When too near to prevent a collision it was found that the stranger was a steamer. The pilot of the Metropolis having steered his vessel as usual when meeting sailing vessels—in case of steamers the movements being different—it was too late to change the course after the observing of the fact that the strange vessel was a steamer.

The engines of the Metropolis were immediately stopped, but before they could be reversed, and the vessel backed, she struck the other steamer on the port side, just forward of the cabin—the force of the blow being such as to cut the stranger in two, the heavy part of the vessel going down immediately, and the lighter portions of the wreck floating off.

At this moment the scene was a most heart-rending one. Most of the passengers of the Metropolis where up, enjoying the fine moonlight scene, and many of them had watched, with terrible anxiety and apprehension, the anticipated collision, and when the collision seemed inevitable, the shrieks of the ladies on board, and the fright of all, appalled the stoutest heart.

The shock of the Metropolis was severe. A passenger on board—George Tappan, a crockery merchant of New Bedford—was so frightened that he was taken with a fit and died in it. His wife, in view of her bereavement, immediately went into hysterics, upon recovering from which she seemed to have lost all sense and realization of the death of her husband—her senses seemed to be gone, and no recollection of the death seemed to remain. The commiserating passengers did not dare to distress her by a reminder, and she remains unconscious this morning of Mr. Tappan's death.

As soon as something like order was restored on board the Metropolis, the boats were sent out, and immediately manned by the crew, and every possible exertion made to save the few who had escaped the wreck of the sunken vessel, and were hanging on the floating pieces of the wreck.

By this means 10 men of the ill-fated vessel were saved—five passengers, the captain, two engineers, and two of the deck hands.

Capt. Smith, when taken out of the water, immediately insisted on joining in the endeavor to rescue any others who might be floating on the pieces of wreck, and continued with others in the search all night. But the above are all, out of *twenty-five* souls on board, that were saved.

Deaths at York, Pa.—Gen. Jacob Barnitz, an honored citizen of York, Pa., died on the 18th inst., aged nearly 70 years. Jonathan Jessup, Esq. another respected citizen of the same place, and a leading member of the Society of Friends, was found dead in his bed on the 18th inst., aged over 80 years.

The Nebraska Delegate.—Chapman, Dem., has been re-elected as delegate to Congress from Nebraska.

From the Crawford Democrat

Beautiful Extracts from Wilmot's Letter.

For the edification of our readers, we this week will give some choice extracts from Judge Wilmot's letter, accepting the Know Nothing platform, together with such comments as may be necessary in the way of explanation. His malignant spirit finds vent for its philanthropic impulses, in directing his vengeance upon the members of the Catholic Church. In speaking of the church itself, he says:

"But that a Priestly Order, invested by the laity with a mysterious sacerdotal character—with pretentions to extraordinary spiritual powers—bound together by strong ties, and acknowledging at their head a foreign potentate—that such an order should enter the field of politics, control our elections, and influence the policy of our government, is surely cause for alarm, and should awaken the zealous vigilance of the American people."

We would ask, when and where has "such an order" entered the field of politics, and as a body, sought to control our elections and rule the government? The history of our country answers, nowhere. They, as well as the notorious Wilmot, have a right to vote as they think best, so long as they keep within the bounds prescribed by law. And because they had sufficient common sense and patriotic feelings, to guide them aright in the selection of a party to which they would give their support, they must be cursed and proscribed by the factionist Wilmot. But the beauty of all this is the fact, that he charges as a crime upon the Catholics, a course of conduct which has ever characterized the Know Nothing party, into whose arms he has thrown himself with frantic despair. It was bound together, not only by the common ties of a society, but by the most infamous oaths.—It, to be sure, is not controlled by a foreign potentate—the *Devil*, for it has long since domesticated him, first in its public acts. Its aim was the control of the entire government, and that too, by secret and fraudulent means. Yet with all its character open before him, Wilmot, in the hour of despair, as a last resort, leaps upon its platform and declares himself as good an *American* as any of its members.

"We see the American people divided on a momentous issue. The principles of human freedom or bondage are brought in direct conflict. Man's inalienable rights to life and liberty is denied. The doctrine is openly asserted by those who hold the government in their hands, that God created the mass of mankind to be slaves."

Here is Wilmot out in his true character. He is a *quiet* man and never deals in trifles. But he is really a dangerous man only among fanatics like himself, who will believe his horrible falsifications. He deals in such generalities and wholesale charges against the Democratic party, that to man, unless one after his own heart, will ever give the least credence to them. He knew when he was penning the last sentence of the preceding extract, that it was an unmitigated falsehood, manufactured deliberately from his own infamous brain, for the express purpose of crushing the Democratic party. And, although it falls harmless at their feet, it still shows no less of that fiendish inhumanity of purpose, which ever characterizes the murderer of the reputation as well as of the body. Who could ever feel safe with such a man at the head of the State government. Yet the people of Pennsylvania are called upon by the exercise of that power vested in them by the constitution and laws of the State, to place this wholesale defamer—this ranting hypocrite about Slavery and Catholicism—at the head of our government, to control its executive department and wield its powers for the accomplishment of his villainous purposes as portrayed in the past history of his life, and especially in his recent letter to the Know Nothings. Will they, can they do it?

While on the other hand, the Democratic party have placed before the people a candidate every way worthy their support, for the chief office of the State. His long political career in the State has made him perfectly familiar with its entire operations. He is clothed with the wisdom of experience, guided by an enlightened judgment and actuated by the best and purest motives. He does not have to wander off to Kansas for material to place himself in power. He takes his stand upon the broad platform of State Rights, points to the vital interests of our own State, as worthy of our first attention, and under the strong pledges to strictly guard with watchful diligence, her every interest, asks the support of his fellow citizens. And he will receive it most cheerfully.

☞*Holloway's Pills.*—Armed with this great antidote the traveller is prepared to encounter all varieties of climate, for he has the means of eradicating nearly every species of internal disease. The endemics of the alluvial districts of the West and the miasmatic swamps of the South, and the epidemics which at particular seasons decimate the population of our crowded cities, are susceptible of being controlled by the purifying, disinfecting action of the pills upon the animal fluids; while external diseases and injuries are rapidly and thoroughly cured by the anti-inflammatory and healing agency of the ointment.

Market Reports.

Corrected from the latest Baltimore, York & Hanover papers.

Baltimore—Friday last.		
Flour, per barrel,	$6 68	@ 6 75
Wheat, per bushel,	1 30	@ 1 65
Rye, "	85	@ 1 00
Corn, "	86	@ 88
Oats, "	37	@ 45
Beef Cattle, per hund.,	7 50	@ 9 75
Hogs, "	9 00	@ 9 75
Hay, per ton,	14 00	@ 21 00
Whiskey, per gallon,	29	@ 30
Guano, Peruvian, per ton,		65 00

Hanover—Thursday last.		
Flour, per bbl., from wagons,	$6 75	
Do. " from stores,	7 50	
Wheat, per bushel,	1 20	@ 1 50
Rye, "		85
Corn, "		75
Oats, "		33
Cloverseed, "		6 00
Timothy, "		2 50
Plaster, per ton,		6 50

York—Friday last.		
Flour, per bbl., from wagons,	$6 25	
Do., " from stores,	7 50	
Wheat, per bushel,	1 60	@ 1 75
Rye, "		85
Corn, "		75
Oats, "		35
Cloverseed, "		6 50
Timothy, "		3 50
Plaster, per ton,		6 50

☞*Rats, Roaches, Bed-bugs, Insects, &c.*—"Costar's" Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator; "Costar's" Bed-bug Exterminator; "Costar's" Electric Powder, for Ants, Insects, &c. (The only infallible remedies known.) "Costar" sends by mail, pre-paid, a sample box of the Rat, Roach, etc. Ex. to any address in the U. S., on the receipt of $1, or the Electric Powder for 65c. (The Bed-bug Ex., being a liquid, cannot be sent by mail.)

"Costar" will furnish Druggists, Dealers and Store-keepers, a $10 sample package of his various preparations (assorted) with circulars, bills, posters, &c. on receipt of $5, (bearing bal. of $5 due when sold,) in order that they may test their merits.

☞See advertisement. For Circulars, &c., address "COSTAR," No. 588 Broadway, New York.

☞Prof. Wood, the renowned discoverer of the invaluable "Hair Restorative," still continues to labor in behalf of the afflicted. His medicines are universally admitted by the American press to be far superior to all others for causing the hair, on the head of the aged, to grow forth with as much vigor and luxuriance as when housed with the advantages of youth. There can be no doubt, if we place credit in the innumerable testimonials which the Professor has in his possession, that it is one of the greatest discoveries in the medical world. It restores, permanently, gray hair to its original color, and makes it assume a beautiful silky texture, which has been very desirable in all ages of the world. It frequently happens that old men marry beautiful and amiable young ladies, and not unfrequently crusty old maids make victims of handsome, good-natured young gentlemen, and by what process it has never been determined, until lately, when it was attributed to the use of this invaluable Hair Restorative.—*Louisville Journal.*

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS. Aug. 24, 2w

☞There are hundreds of remedies sold at every Drug Store, purporting to cure all diseases imaginable, each advertised as the very best ever known, till we had lost all faith in them all, but there is one exception.

We speak of Dr. Sanford's Invigorator, which came to us recommended as a cure for Liver Complaints and all diseases arising from a deranged Liver. The testimonials of so many of our Physicians in its favor, induced us to try it, and our conviction is certain that it is one of the greatest blessings ever given to Dyspeptics, for it made a complete cure before the first bottle was taken, and now we can eat anything eatable without trouble, while before nothing but the lightest food would digest, and often that gave pain. Now what we want to say to our readers is, if Liver Complaint or Dyspepsia trouble you, do not fail to try this the greatest remedy in the world.

☞See A. D. Buehler, Agent for Gettysburg; Wm. Heim, Hanover; and Oberlin B. Henry, Abbottstown. Aug. 24, 1m

☞The Big Safe measuring 7½ feet high, by 11 feet wide, and weighing 6,300 pounds, has been attracting much attention at the office of the FARMERS AND MECHANICS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION, No. 8, S. W. corner of the Diamond, Everybody nearly in town has been to see it. Our friends from the country have been and are still dropping in, to see the, *the largest Safe ever brought into the county.*

This Safe furnishes another ground for confidence to depositors. The security for the deposits they make is of the same character, and as extensive as the security afforded by a bank to its depositors, the stockholders in the one and the other being in the same manner liable. The safe-keeping of the monies and the security to depositors thus afforded, *should add to those thinking of depositing their monies where, instead of lying idle, they will produce interest—in the Savings Institution.*

Marriages

On Tuesday last, at St. Joseph's Church, by the Rev. A. Capurzutti, Mr. WM. F. LANSINGER, of Littlestown, to Miss CECILIA JOSEPHINE, daughter of Mr. William Tyson, of Lancaster.

☞A slice of the wedding cake was duly received. We tender our thanks, and offer up aspirations for the health, happiness and long life of the newly wedded couple.]

On the 15th of May, 1856, by the Rev. Mr. Essig, Mr. DAVID STEWARD to Miss MARGARET MUSSELMAN, both of Hamiltonban township, Adams county.

On the 13th inst., by the Rev. Jacob Zeigle, Mr. DANIEL LITTLE, of Gettysburg, to Miss MARTHA J. HARPER, of Cumberland township.

On the 20th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Bachman, DAVID Z. WAGNER to HARRIET HUMMER, both of Butler township.

Deaths

On the 17th inst., Mr. JACOB LITTLE, (Postmaster,) of Mountjoy township, aged 71 years and 5 months.

On Wednesday last, AMANDA ELIZABETH, daughter of Mr. Crist Wagoner, of Tyrone township, aged 6 years 7 months and 19 days—being the third of his children recently carried off by, we believe, dysentery.

On the 6th inst., ANNA MARY, daughter of William and Lavinda Miller, of Menallen township, aged 3 months and 11 days.

On the 19th inst., MILTON HUMMEL, son of Mr. Samuel Cover, of Franklin township, aged 1 year 6 months and 12 days.

On the 13th inst., AMELIA ELIZABETH BRICKER, daughter of Daniel and Anna Maria Bricker, of Tyrone township, aged 8 years and 5 months.

On the same day, LYDIAN ALICE, daughter of Peter and Anna Maria Fidler, of Tyrone township, aged 3 years 7 months and 9 days.

On the —— inst., MARTHA REBECCA, daughter of Samuel and Anna Faber, of Butler township, aged 2 months and 19 days.

A Valuable Farm,

AT PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrators of the estate of PHILIP THOMAS, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Tuesday, the 15th day of September next*, the following property of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

situate in Straban township, Adams county, within 1½ miles of the Gettysburg and Hanover Railroad, and the same distance from the Gettysburg and York Turnpike, adjoining lands of Christian Thomas, David Monfort, Henry Thomas, and others, containing **148 Acres**, more or less, about 40 acres of which are first rate Timber-land, with a due proportion of Meadow. The improvements are a large Two-story Stone HOUSE, Stone Kitchen and Smoke House attached, Double Log Barn, Stable, and all necessary out-buildings; a good Apple Orchard, and a never-failing well of water near the door; water in the barn-yard; several never-failing springs on the farm, and a never-failing stream through it, to which access from nearly every field can be had for the watering of cattle.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the last-named Administrator, residing on the adjoining farm.

☞Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

HENRY THOMAS, } *Adm'rs.*
SAMUEL THOMAS, }

By the Court—J. J. BALDWIN, *Clerk.*

Aug. 24, 1857. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of EMANUEL CHRONISTER, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on their premises, *on Friday, the 25th day of September next*, the following property of said deceased, viz:

A LOT OF GROUND, situate in Reading township, Adams county, on the road leading from Hampton to East Berlin, adjoining lands of Joseph Shaefer, Thaddeus Chronister and Adam Miller, containing 6¾ Acres, more or less. The land is cleared, and in an excellent state of cultivation.

ALSO, A LOT OF GROUND, near the above, on the same road, containing 1 Acres, more or less—a small portion Timber.

Persons wishing to view the lots are requested to call on the undersigned, residing in Hampton.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

HENRY A. PICKING, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. Baldwin, Clerk.

Aug. 24, 1857. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of MARY SOWERVILLE, dec., will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Friday, the 25th day of September next*, the following property of said deceased, viz:

A LOT OF GROUND, situate in the town of Hampton, Adams county, adjoining property of Lizzy Overholtzer and Jacob Deardoff, having thereon a two story Frame Weatherboarded HOUSE, Stable, Fruit Trees, &c.

ALSO, A LOT OF GROUND, adjoining the above, with fruit trees thereon.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing in Hampton.

☞Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JACOB AULABAUGH, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. Baldwin, Clerk.

Aug. 24, 1857. ts

A DESIRABLE FARM AT

Public Sale.

THE Subscriber, wishing to remove, will offer at Public Sale, *on Saturday, the 12th day of September next*, on the premises, his FARM, situate in Mountpleasant township, Adams county, within half a mile of the Gettysburg Railroad, adjoining lands of John Cashman, John Shetter and others, containing 92 Acres, more or less. About 20 acres are first rate Timber, with a good proportion of Meadow. The improvements consist of a one and a half story Dwelling HOUSE, Log and Frame Barn, Hay Shed, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Spring House, (with a never-failing Spring,) a young Apple Orchard, and other fruit trees. The land is under good cultivation and good fencing, with water in nearly all the fields.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing thereon.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

WM. A. BEARY.

Aug 24, 1857. ts

Private Sale.

THE subscriber wishes to sell his FARM at Private Sale, situate near Cashtown, Franklin township, Adams county, containing 75 ACRES and one Perch, adjoining lands of Thomas J. Cooper, Isaac Kile, Peter Mickley, Daniel Herbst, and others, having a large proportion of Meadow and some fine Timber. The improvements consist of a good Two-story LOG HOUSE, a double Log Barn, with Shed, and Corn Crib, a never-failing well, with a pump, near the house; also, a good Apple Orchard, with a variety of other fruit; also, a good quarry of Limestone on the farm.

Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the subscriber, residing near the premises.

Also, A Tract of Mountain Land,

containing 22 Acres and 50 Perches of Patented Land, situate about 2½ miles north of the farm, on the new road leading to the Church, adjoining lands of Andrew Wisler, Robert Scandrett, and others.

FREDERICK STOVER.

Aug. 24, 1857. 7t

Administrator's Notice.

SARAH DEARDORFF'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Sarah Deardorff, late of Straban twp., Adams co., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in Franklin township, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement. FREDERICK DIEHL, *Adm'r.*

Aug. 24, 1857. 6t

8 Teachers Wanted.

THE School Directors of Butler township will meet at the School-house, in Mobletown, *on Wednesday, the 9th day of September next*, for the purpose of employing Teachers for the Winter term. The County Superintendent will be present to examine Teachers.

F. W. KNOUSS, *Sec'y.*

Aug. 24, 1857. 1d

3 Teachers Wanted.

A MEETING of the School Directors of Oxford District will be held at the Public School-house in New Oxford, *on Saturday, the 12th of September next*, at 2 o'clock, P. M., to receive applications for Teachers of the Public Schools of the District.

By order of the Board,

J. R. HERSH, *Sec'y.*

Aug. 24, 1857. 1d

PROTHONOTARY.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—The undersigned, at the solicitation of numerous friends, offers himself as a candidate for PROTHONOTARY, at the October election—subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. Should I be nominated and elected, I will discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

JACOB BUSHEY.

East Berlin, August 24, 1857.

SHERIFFALTY.

TO the voters of Adams county:—Fellow Citizens:—I offer myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, at the next election, subject to the decision of the American Republican Convention. Should I be nominated and elected, I will endeavor to discharge the duties of the office to the satisfaction of the people. Respectfully yours, &c.,

J. BARRETT.

Gettysburg, Aug. 24, 1857.

SHERIFFALTY.

TO the Voters of Adams County:—The undersigned offers himself as a candidate for SHERIFF at the next election, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention. Should he be nominated and elected, he pledges his best efforts to the discharge of the duties of the office.

JAMES A. THOMPSON.

Gettysburg, Aug. 17, 1857.

Pamphlet Laws.

THE PAMPHLET LAWS of the State have been received at this Office, and are now ready for distribution among those entitled to receive them.

JOHN PICKING, *Proth'y.*

Prothonotary's Office, Gettysburg, Aug. 17, 1857. 3t

Auctioneering.

ANDREW W. FLEMMING, residing in Breckinridge street, near James Pierce's, Gettysburg, offers his services to the public as a *Sale Crier* and *Auctioneer*. His charges are moderate, and he will on all occasions endeavor to render satisfaction. He hopes to receive a share of public patronage.

Aug. 17, 1857.

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Texas Election.—The Democratic majority for Governor in 17 counties is 5,106, a gain of 84 votes on the last Governor's election. The Legislature is largely Democratic. So far the House stands 57 Democrats, 9 opposition; and the Senate 27 Democrats, 6 opposition. Reagan, Dem., is elected to Congress, over Evans, Amer., by about 4,000 maj. Bryan, Dem., is the other Congressman elect.

Iowa.—It is generally understood that the new constitution has been adopted by the people, but that the separate clause, admitting free colored men to free suffrage in common with the whites, has been voted down by a very large majority.

Execution of a Murderer.—HOLLIDAYSBURG, Aug. 21st.—McKim, the murderer of Norcross, was executed here to-day at 20 minutes of 1 o'clock. He died protesting his innocence. He attempted to commit suicide this morning. He spoke nearly two hours from the scaffold.

REAL ESTATE,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of JACOB BOBLITZ, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 19th day of September next*, the following Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

situate in Mountjoy town-ship, Adams county, on the Baltimore Turnpike, four miles from Gettysburg, and six miles from Littlestown, adjoining lands of Peter Orndorff, Peter Cownover, John Worley and others, containing 132 Acres, more or less, with due proportions of Woodland and Meadow. The improvements are a one and a-half story Weatherboarded HOUSE, Frame Barn, (with sheds all around it,) Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Wash House, Log Blacksmith Shop, and other outbuildings; a first-rate Apple Orchard of choice fruit; a never-failing Spring near the house, with three other springs on the premises.

The farm is under good cultivation and good fencing, and well watered. Persons wishing to view it are requested to call on the undersigned, residing thereon. The property will be offered in whole or in two parts, to suit purchasers.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

PETER BOBLITZ, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. BALDWIN, *Clerk.*

August 24, 1857. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of HENRY BUSHEY, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 26th day of September next*, the following Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

No. 1. A LOT OF GROUND, situate in Butler township, Adams county, half a mile north of Centre Mills, adjoining lands of George Fool, Abraham Slaybaugh and the undersigned, containing 2 ACRES and 51 Perches, (more or less,) on which are erected a Two-story Frame Roughcast Dwelling HOUSE, with a one story Frame Kitchen attached, a Log Stable, with a Carriage House attached, a Log Chicken-house, with other out-buildings, also a young bearing Apple Orchard, with other fruit, on the premises, and a never-failing well of water near the door, with a chain pump in it.

No. 2. A LOT OF GROUND, adjoining the above, containing 2 Acres and 33 Perches, (more or less.) Both lots have been well tened during the first to years.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing near by.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

CONRAD SLAYBAUGH, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. BALDWIN, *Clerk.*

August 24, 1857. ts

Orphan's Court Sale.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of GEORGE BOLTON, dec'd., will expose to sale at public outcry, on the premises, on *Saturday, the 19th day of September next*, at 1 o'clock, P. M., a certain TRACT OF LAND, containing about 11 Acres, of which about 4 Acres are Timber, and the balance in a good state of cultivation—on which are erected a two story LOG HOUSE, (weatherboarded,) a log weatherboarded Barn, and a large Shop, Spring House, and other out-buildings; also thereon an Orchard of thrifty trees, having choice fruit. The tract is situated in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Conrad Thomas, Levi Irwin and Peter Dillon.

The terms will be made known on the day of sale by JOHN HOFFMAN, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. Baldwin, Clerk.

Aug. 24, 1857. ts

Notice of Inquest.

NOTICE is hereby given to all the heirs and legal representatives of MARY HEWITT, late of Menallen township, Adams county, deceased, to wit: George Hewitt, John Hewitt, Jesse Hewitt, Sarah, intermarried with Thomas McCreary, but now deceased, leaving her said husband surviving; the descendants or issue of Elizabeth, intermarried with George Joyce, now both deceased, Joseph Joyce, Margaret, intermarried with Samuel Cook, Obediah Joyce, now deceased, leaving issue, Susan, intermarried with George B. Hewitt, James Joyce, Daniel Joyce, Mary, intermarried with William Gardner, both now deceased, leaving issue, Alfred James Gardner, Mary Ann Gardner, and Deborah, intermarried with Henry Reed—that an *INQUEST* will be held on the following property, viz: A Lot, Piece or Parcel of Land, situate in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of David Poil, Jonas Routzahn, and others, containing 10 acres, more or less, on which are erected a two-story Log House, Log Stable, with the necessary outbuildings—*on Thursday, the 17th day of September next*, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on said premises, to make partition thereof, to and amongst the heirs and legal representatives of said deceased, if the same will admit of partition, without prejudice to or spoiling the whole thereof; but if the same will not admit of such partition, to inquire how many of said heirs it will conveniently accommodate—and part and divide the same to and among as many of them as the same will accommodate; but if the same will not admit of division at all without prejudice to or spoiling the whole thereof, then to value and appraise the same, whole and undivided—whereof all persons interested are hereby notified to attend.

HENRY THOMAS, *Sheriff.*

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Aug. 24, 1857. td

Register's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Legatees and other persons concerned, that the *Administration Accounts* hereinafter mentioned will be presented at the Orphan's Court of Adams county, for confirmation and allowance, on *Tuesday, the 22d day of September next*, viz: (These are a portion of those to be presented.)

280. Account of Noah Miller and John Miller, Executors of John Miller, deceased, who was surviving Executor of Michael Miller, deceased.

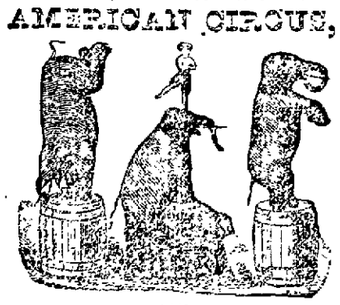
283. The first and final account of Frederick Wolf, Guardian of Wm. Flickinger, minor son of Wm. Flickinger, deceased.

WM. F. WALTER, *Register*,
Per DANIEL PLANK, *Deputy.*

Register's Office, Gettysburg, Aug. 24, 1857. td

SANDS, NATHANS & CO'S.

AMERICAN CIRCUS,



AND

ELEPHANT EXHIBITION!

Will Perform in GETTYSBURG, On WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 9th, 1857.

THE leading feature of this grand Exhibition is the varied performance of the *Wonderfully Educated Elephants*, VICTORIA AND ALBERT! whose unequalled feats have been the wonder and delight of thousands upon thousands in the Paris, London, New York and Philadelphia Theatres. They exhibit the *most Astonishing Display of Animal Training and Intelligence Extant.*

They have been taught to ascend an Inclined Plank, only NINE INCHES in width, a distance of 30 yards, where one of them will BALANCE HIMSELF ON HIS HEAD! *upon a Pedestal not over a foot in Diameter.*

They will also perform a great variety of FEATS OF POSTURING, GYMNASTICS, DANCING, WALTZING, MARCHING, &c., such as have never been attempted in America, and have been the Wonder and Amazement of the world for the last two years.

These perfectly and surprisingly trained Elephants, both of whom are quite young, were brought out to this country in March last, by Mr. R. SANDS, personally, who purchased them at an almost incredible cost—bidding over the greatest wild beast proprietor in Europe—while they were performing an engagement at the Port St. Denis, Paris. Their indefatigable trainer, MONS. LAGRANGE, accompanies the Elephants and superintends their performances.

Particular Notice.

The Proprietors do most positively and unequivocally assure the public that these extraordinary Elephants WILL PERFORM ALL FEATS announced or advertised by them on their bills, and that all the Feats this Exhibition is the engravings and described, ARE ACTUALLY DONE.

In the Equestrian and Acrobatic Departments, the Proprietors confidently recommend to the notice of the public the names of Mons. FRANKE, and his accomplished pupils, the German Acrobats HORST VOLKMAN and VON CASTLE.—Mme. LOUISE BLOWER, the accomplished Equestrienne.—Mr. J. J. NATHANS, with his talented child PHILO. Mr. WM. AYMAR, the Equestrian Gymnast. JESSE SANDS, the favorite pupil of Mr. R. Sands, the most accomplished rider of the age. Mr. GEO. SERGEANT, the Graphic Scene Rider, and a host of other artists of distinguished abilities.

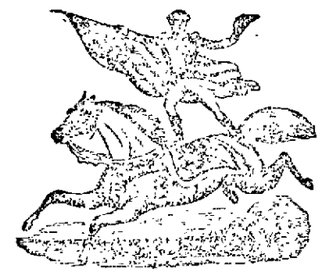
Among the comic features of the entertainment will be introduced the two celebrated PERFORMING ZEBRAS! Trained in a most wonderful manner by C. H. BASSET.

Beautiful displays of VAULTING, TUMBLING, POMMELLING, &c., by the Troupe, in which the whole gymnastic strength of the company will appear.

The performances will be accompanied with OTTO HORNE'S N. Y. CORNET BAND.

Each Entertainment will conclude with the Romantic Legend of

MAZEPPA:



OR THE WILD HORSE OF TARTARY.

CLOWNS—MESSRS. BROWER & AYMAR,

With Several Able Assistants.

☞In the forenoon a splendid PROCESSION OF ELEPHANTS with the magnificent BAND CHARIOT, drawn by a Team of Six! will parade through the principal streets.

ADMISSION, 25 CENTS. NO HALF PRICE.

Doors open at 1½ and 7½ P. M. Performance half an hour afterwards.

Will perform at GETTYSBURG, Wednesday, Sept. 9th; and at HANOVER, Tuesday, Sept. 8th.

Aug. 24, 1857.

'Costar's' Rat, Roach, &c., Exterminator.

PUT up in 26c., 35c., 65c., and $1 Boxes. "*Costar's*" *Bed Bug Extermintor.*—Put up in 25c., 50c., 75c., and $1 Bottles. "*Costar's*" *Electric Powder, for Ants, Insects, &c.* Put up in 25c. and 50c. Boxes.

Principal Depot, No. 388 Broadway, New York, and sold by DRUGGISTS and DEALERS everywhere in the United States, Canadas, West Indies and South America.

☞Full particulars by Mail.

Aug. 24, 1857. 1m

"CONSUMPTION."

BY DR. W. W. HALL. Sent p. p. for $1: Address "*Publisher of Hall's Journal of Health, New York.*" This is believed to be the plainest, most truthful and satisfactory book on this subject ever presented for popular reading: neither medicine or instruments are advised; most remarkable results having followed diligent attention to certain forms of out door activities and nutritious diet.

Aug. 24, 1857. 1t

List of Letters

REMAINING in the Post Office, at Gettysburg, Aug. 17, 1857.

Albert J. C.	Little & Moore
Bear Peter	Little L. J. Mrs.
Beard Elizabeth Mrs.	McGlaughlen James 2
Britcher Wm.	Parker T.
Bowers Mary Miss	Peil Robert
Creager C. W.	Rosser Wm. 3
Ewalt Ab'm	S. J. A. Mr.
Eisenhart J. S.	Spangler Barbara Mrs.
Fisher Nancy Miss	St. John A.
Harlass Randolph I.	Teyler B. O.
Hostettor Peter	West Geo. P.
Johnson A. C.	

GEORGE GEYER, *P. M.*

☞Persons calling for Letters in the above List will please say they were advertised.

A LARGE assortment of STRAW GOODS, just received, and for sale at BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH'S.

Assignee's Sale.
VALUABLE IRON AND BRASS FOUNDRY & REAL ESTATE.

On Saturday, the 26th of September next,

THE Subscriber, Assignee under a deed of voluntary assignment for the benefit of creditors, by THOMAS WARREN & WIFE, will sell at Public Sale, at the Court-house, in Gettysburg, the following valuable property, viz:

No. 1. TWO LOTS OF GROUND, fronting on Railroad street, on which is erected a valuable Iron and Brass Foundry, known as the "*Gettysburg Foundry*," with all the necessary apparatus, Steam Engine, Flasks, Patterns, Tools, &c. The Foundry is now in running order, and doing a first-rate business.

No. 2. A HALF LOT OF GROUND, on corner of Carlisle and Railroad streets, with a new Two-story Brick DWELLING, with Attic and Basement—large two story Brick Back-building and Attic, Stabling, never-failing well of water, &c.—admirably adapted for a Public House.

No. 3. A TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, adjoining No. 2, with Attic, good cellar, back-building, &c.—also new.

No. 4. A LOT OF GROUND, on corner of Chambersburg and West streets, fronting 60 feet on former street and running back to an alley, with a Two-story Plastered DWELLING, Weatherboarded Back-building, a Frame Shop, Stabling, Well of Water, &c.

No. 5. A LOT OF GROUND, adjoining No. 4, fronting 60 feet on Chambersburg street, on which are erected FOUR Three-story Brick DWELLINGS, with Attics. These will be sold together or separately, to suit purchasers.

No. 6. TWO LOTS OF GROUND, adjoining No. 5, each fronting 60 feet on Chambersburg street and running back to an alley, being desirable building lots.

No. 7. HALF LOT OF GROUND, on East Middle street, adjoining properties of Ephraim Hanaway and Geo. Swope, on which are erected a good Two-story Frame DWELLING, Back-building, Well of Water, &c.

No. 8. A LOT OF GROUND, on West Middle street, adjoining properties of S. S. McNair and others, fronting 60 feet on Middle street, and running back to an alley.

No. 9. FIVE ACRES OF LAND, more or less, near Pennsylvania College, adjoining lands of R. McCurdy, Edwd Devin, and others.

No. 10. THE INTEREST OF THOS. WARREN, (being the undivided two-thirds,) in a TRACT OF LAND, in Freedom township, containing 40 Acres, more or less, adjoining lands of S. S. McNair and others, known as "Middle Creek Factory." There are on this property a large Two-story DWELLING, Back-building, Stabling, Saw Mill, and other improvements. The water-power is equal to any in the county, and furnishes an admirable site for a Mill or Factory.

The interest of D. Warren, who owns the other third of property No. 10, will be sold at the same time, so that the purchaser will secure an entire title.

Sale will commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., when attendance will be given and terms made known by

SAMUEL WEAVER, *Assignee.*

Aug. 17, 1857.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE undersigned will sell at Public Sale, *on Saturday, the 12th day of September*, 1857, on the premises, in Latimore township, Adams county, about one mile and a half from Bearden's mill, and two miles from Petersburg, the following Real Estate, to wit:

A TRACT OF LAND,

containing 120 Acres, more or less, adjoining lands of Michael Stambaugh, Moses Myers, Jacob Sutzel, and the Latimore creek, which runs through the farm. The improvements are a Two story Brick Dwelling HOUSE, Tenant House, Log Barn, Spring House, Wash House, and other outbuildings, with a well of water near the house. About 15 Acres are Woodland, the remainder cleared, in a good state of cultivation and under good fencing. There is also on the premises a New Cider press and Clover Mill. The land is well watered, there being a spring in each field. There is also an Orchard of choice fruit trees on the premises.

☞Persons wishing to view the premises before the day of sale can do so by calling on Nathaniel Stambaugh, who resides on the same.

☞Sale to commence at 2 o'clock on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

PHILIP STAMBAUGH.

August 17, 1857.

A Good Farm.
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE Subscriber, intending to quit farming, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 19th day of September next*, his FARM, situate in Butler township, Adams county, within a mile of Aremitsville, adjoining lands of Samuel Wolf, John Hartman, Thomas Taylor, George Taylor, and others, containing 105 Acres, more or less, having due proportions of Woodland and Meadow.—The improvements are a Two-story LOG HOUSE, with two Kitchens, a Bank Barn, Wagon Shed, Spring House, Wash House, and other out-buildings; a spring of water near the door of the Dwelling, and one of the finest Apple Orchards in the county on the premises. The land is under good fencing and good cultivation, and the cleared land has all been limed, some of it twice.

Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing thereon.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JOHN HOFFMAN.

Aug. 17 1857.

The $10 & $15 Single and Double Threaded

Empire Family Sewing Machine.

AN Agency for the sale of these Machines can be secured for this county, on liberal terms, by a personal application at the office of the subscribers, S. E. Corner 6th and Arch Sts., Philadelphia.

No one need apply without sufficient capital to conduct the business properly, and without references as to reliability and capacity.

We positively assert that these Sewing Machines, for all purposes of family sewing, are by far superior to any Sewing Machine in use, (no matter at what cost they are held,) and wherever they are offered for sale will meet with a ready and constant demand.

JOHNSON & GOODELL.

Aug. 17, 1857. 1m

A NEW STOCK OF

BOOTS AND SHOES,

At the Old Stand in West Chambersburg street.

THE undersigned has just purchased a well selected Stock of Goods, and invites the attention of the public to his fine assortment of Gentlemen's, Ladies', and Children's BOOTS AND SHOES. These Goods have been selected with a view to meet the various wants and necessities of customers. Also, a splendid assortment of Plain and Fancy GAITERS & SLIPPERS, of all sizes and descriptions, made of very best materials, which he is prepared to sell on as favorable terms as they can be had at any place in the County. Having been engaged in the Shoe business for 30 years, he flatters himself that he has selected such Goods as will give entire satisfaction to all who may wish to purchase. Call and examine for yourselves.

☞Boots, Shoes, &c., made to order as heretofore. WILLIAM BOYER.

May 11, 1857. 3m

POWDER and SHOT, the best manufactured, to be had at NORBECK'S.

VALUABLE

TOWN PROPERTY,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber, desiring to remove, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on *Tuesday, the 25th of August instant*, the following Real Property, viz:

No. 1.—A LOT OF GROUND, situate on Baltimore street, in the Borough of Gettysburg, adjoining property of Dr. Krauth on the south and "The Compiler" office on the north, having a two-story Dwelling HOUSE, with a two-story brick Back Building, Stable, well of water, fruit trees, &c., thereon.

No. 2.—A LOT OF GROUND, situate on High street, in said Borough, adjoining property of Dr. Krauth, the Female High School, and Lot No. 1, having thereon erected a comfortable two-story BRICK HOUSE, and brick Back Building.

No. 3.—TWO LOTS OF GROUND, situate on the corner of West Middle and Washington streets, in said Borough, adjoining property of Samuel Weaver, on the west—with a two-story BRICK HOUSE, a one and a half story Weatherboarded House, and a frame Blacksmith Shop, thereon erected.

No. 4.—A TRACT OF LAND, situate on the Long Lane, in said Borough, adjoining lands of Robert Smith and George Codori, containing 7 Acres and 92 Perches, having a first rate spring thereon. About 4 Acres are Meadow. The tract will be offered in two lots.

No. 5.—A TRACT OF LAND, situate between West Middle street and the Millerstown road, adjoining lands of Robert Smith and Rev. Cole, containing 7 Acres, more or less—to be offered in three lots.

No. 6.—A TRACT OF LAND, situate on the Millerstown road, in Cumberland township, near the Borough, adjoining lands of Ephraim Hanaway, Jacob Herbst's heirs, and Rev. Burkett, containing 36 Acres, more or less—to be offered in whole or in six lots, as may best suit purchasers.

☞These Properties offer rare opportunities to make investments, and the attention of all desiring to purchase is invited to the sale.—Much of the land has been limed.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, A. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

THOMAS F. FRAZER.

Aug. 3, 1857. ts

A Rare Chance!
VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE NEAR GETTYSBURG.

IN pursuance of authority given in the last will and testament of Jacob Herbst, deceased, the subscribers, Executors of the said Jacob Herbst, deceased, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Tuesday, Sept. 15th*, 1857, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following valuable Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

THE FARM,

on which the said deceased resided for thirty years, situate on the Millerstown road, the first farm from Gettysburg, containing 164 ACRES and 60 PERCHES of prime land, having a large proportion of Meadow and a due proportion of Timber.

The improvements consist of a large Two-story LOG HOUSE, a large Stone Bank Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Carriage House and all necessary outbuildings; a never-failing Spring of Water and Stone Spring House. A excellent Apple ORCHARD, with a variety of other fruit. The fences are good, and the land in a fine state of cultivation.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the heirs residing thereon.

Also, At the same time and place will be sold,

A Tract of Mountain Land,

containing 12 Acres and 66 Perches, adjoining lands of Jacob Swisher, Michael Pestle, Solomon Young, and others. Persons wishing to view this tract are requested to call at Solomon Young's, on the Cold Spring road, on Saturday the 12th of September, at 10 o'clock, when they will be shown the same by the Executors.

SAMUEL HERBST, } *Executors.*
JOHN HERBST, }

Aug. 3, 1857. ts

Orphan's Court Sale.

BY virtue of an alias Order of the Orphan's Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrator of Philip Cole, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 12th day of September next*, the Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

Situate in Liberty township, Adams county, three miles west of Emmitsburg, adjoining lands of Hon. James M'Dorr, Maxwell Sadells and others, containing 161 Acres, more or less, about 30 acres of which are cleared and in a good state cultivation, and much of the balance is well covered with thriving Chestnut and Rockoak Timber. Between 40 and 50 acres more could easily be cleared. The improvements are a one-and-a-half story LOG HOUSE, Log Barn, a young Orchard of choice fruit, &c. There are two good Springs near the dwelling. The road from McDivitt's Mill to Sabillasville passes through this property.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the subscriber, residing thereon. It will be offered undivided or in two parts to suit purchasers.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

WM. A. COLE, *Adm'r.*

By the Court—J. J. BALDWIN, *Clerk.*

Aug. 10 1857. ts

WM. GILLESPIE. HENRY THOMAS.

Family Grocery & Provision Store.

GILLESPIE & THOMAS respectfully inform the people of Gettysburg and the public generally, that they have just returned from the city with a general assortment of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS and VEGETABLES, which they are prepared to sell as low as the lowest. FLOUR and FEED always on hand, and sold at small profits.

Store on York street, one door east of Wattles' Hotel.

Gettysburg, Aug. 3, 1857.

Executors' Notice.

JACOB HERBST'S ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Jacob Herbst, late of Cumberland township, Adams co., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, the first-named residing in Gettysburg and the last-named in Hamiltonban twp., they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

SAMUEL HERBST,
JOHN HERBST,
Ex'rs.

Aug. 10, 1857.

NOTICE.

THE Members of the "*Adams County Mutual Fire Insurance Company,*" are hereby notified that an election for twenty-one MANAGERS will be held at the office of the Secretary, in Gettysburg, *on Monday, the 7th day of September next*, between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock P. M.—each member entitled to one vote for each policy held by him.

The Executive Committee will meet at 10 o'clock, A. M., on said day.

☞Managers having in hands fees due the Company will be required to pay the same into the Treasury on or before said day, to enable the accounts for the current year to be closed.

D. A. BUEHLER, *Sec'y.*

Aug. 10, 1857. 3t

Ready-made Clothing,

COATS, Pants and Vests, for boys and men; Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps; Shirts, Collars, Cravats, Neck Ties, Stocks, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Stockings, Suspenders,—a nice of lot of Gowns, Water-proof Oil Coats, and everything else that can be found in a Store of the kind, always to be had at SAMSON'S.

One of the Best Farms,
FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers at Private Sale, his FARM, situate in Straban township, Adams county, on the Hanover road, and adjoining the Gettysburg Borough line. The farm contains 154 Acres, more or less, the land being of the best quality, much of it "granite"—with fair proportions of meadow and timber. Fences good and the soil in excellent cultivation. The improvements are a comfortable Stone Dwelling HOUSE, Bank Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn crib, &c.—first-rate Apple Orchard, a never-failing well of water at the door, and a number of springs upon the tract. It is certainly one of the most desirable farms now in market in this county, and demands the attention of capitalists.

Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned, residing thereon. DANIEL BENNER.

July 13, 1857. 3m

A SMALL FARM,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be offered at Public Sale, on the premises, on *Thursday, the 10th day of September next*,

A TRACT OF
Valuable Limestone Land,

containing 28 Acres, more or less, situate in Germany township, Adams county, on the Turnpike leading from Littlestown to Gettysburg, one quarter of a mile from the former place, adjoining lands of James Renshaw, George Myers, and others. The improvements are a good two story BRICK HOUSE, Log Barn, Corn Crib and Wagon Shed, and other out buildings; a never failing well of water at the door, and several never failing springs on the tract; also an Apple Orchard of choice fruit, with other fruit trees.

Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the undersigned Agent, or on Mr. George Winder, residing thereon. It is one of the most desirable country residences in the county.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JOSEPH L. SHORB.
Agent for James R. Shorb.

June 29, 1857. ts

ADAMS COUNTY.

Desirable and Valuable Farm,
FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber, Executor of PETER FERREE, deceased, offers for sale the following desirable Real Estate of said decedent, viz:

A FARM,

Late the Home Place of Mr. Ferree, situate in Tyrone township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Amos Myers, Jacob Ferree, Jacob Arnsberger, and others, containing

212 Acres, more or less,

having large proportions of Woodland and Meadow. The improvements consist of a Two Story weatherboarded HOUSE, a Stone Bank Barn, Wagon Shed and Corn Crib, Spring House, TENANT HOUSE, Stable, &c., with a never-failing spring of water at each dwelling, and an Apple Orchard on the premises.

This has always been admitted to be one of the best grain-producing Farms in the whole neighborhood. Persons wishing to view it are requested to call upon Mr. Beck, residing thereon. As the Farm is susceptible of convenient division, it will be offered in two parts or in whole, as purchasers may desire.

If the property is not sold at private sale previous to *Thursday, the 24th day of September next*, it will be offered at public outcry on that day, upon the premises, at one o'clock, P. M. Attendance given and terms made known by JOEL B. DANNER, *Ex'r.*

July 20, 1856.

GOOD FARM,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE Subscribers, Executors of ISAAC HESS, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Thursday, September 3, 1857*, the following valuable Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

THE FARM

on which deceased resided all his life-time, situate in Latimore township, Adams county, within three miles of York Springs, adjoining lands of Philip Hess, John Brown, Isaac Asper, Isaac Myers, Joseph Power, and others, containing 185 Acres, more or less, about 100 of which are cleared land, 25 acres meadow, and the balance covered with thriving timber. The farm is under good cultivation and good fencing. The improvements are a Two-story Log DWELLING HOUSE, large Bank Barn, large Shop, Dry House, and other out-buildings; three Apple Orchards of choice fruit, with Peach, Pear, Plum and Cherry Trees. There is a never-failing spring of water near the door, and a stream through the farm, it being thus well watered.

☞The farm will be offered in whole or in two parts, as may best suit purchasers.

☞Persons wishing to view the property, are requested to call on the first-named Executor, residing thereon.

☞Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

CORNELIUS HESS,
JOSEPH HESS,
Executors.

July 13, 1857. ts

☞Also, at the same time and place, the following PERSONAL PROPERTY of deceased: 3 tons of Hay, 3 Grain Cradles; a quantity of Lard, 25 yards of Carpeting, 3 Chests, Coverlets, Quilts, and other articles too numerous to mention.

SECOND ARRIVAL OF
Spring & Summer Goods.

WE respectfully invite the attention of buyers and customers both in town and country to our new stock of Goods. It consists of Dry Goods, Notions, Queensware, Cedar Ware, Crockery Ware, and Groceries; *READY-MADE CLOTHING;* Clothing made to order. ☞All Goods cut free of charge, at the north-west corner of the Diamond. JOHN HOKE.

June 1, 1857.

The Rev. C. S. Burnett,

WHILE laboring as a Missionary in Southern Asia, discovered a simple and certain Cure for *Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, Nervous Debility*, and all impurities of the *Blood*; also, an easy and effectual mode of Inhaling the *Remedy*. Actuated by a desire to benefit his suffering fellows, he will cheerfully send the Recipe (free) to such as desire it, with full and explicit directions for preparing and successfully using the Medicine. Address

REV. C. S. BURNETT,
831 Broadway, N. Y. City.

August 3, 1857. 6m

Black Silk Hats.

FALL and Winter Style, just received and for sale at COBEAN & PAXTON'S Fashionable Hat, Cap, Boot and Shoe Store.

Summer Clothing.

THIS morning received, a new lot of very fine Summer Clothing, latest fashion, and will continue to receive every week or ten days, more of different articles, from auction.

July 27, 1857. M. SAMSON.

This Way! This Way!!

JUST IN SEASON!—Fly Nets, of various styles and colors, cheap at SAMSON'S.

IF you want to buy GOODS CHEAP, call at G. F. ECKENRODE & BRO'S, at Heidlersburg, Adams co.

SAPONIFIER OR CONCENTRATED LYE for making Soap—to be had at FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS.

CHILDREN'S Shoes of every variety and size, at BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH'S successors to W. W. Paxton

FLOUR & FEED always on hand at NORBECK'S.

SECOND arrival of Spring Goods this day at the Cheap Store of FAHNESTOCKS'.

A VALUABLE FARM,
At Public Sale.

THE Subscriber, Administrator with the will annexed of MICHAEL MILLER, dec'd., will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 5th day of September next*, the following Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

situate in Cumberland township, Adams county, adjoining lands of John Plank, Michael Bussman, John Slyder, and others, about 4 miles from Gettysburg, containing 151 ACRES and allowance, with good proportions of Meadow and Timberland. The improvements are a Two-story LOG HOUSE, Log Barn, and the necessary out-buildings; an Apple Orchard, and two never-failing Springs near the house. Fences good, and the land, mostly granite, under good cultivation. If desired, a tract of 10 or 12 Acres of Wood-land will be offered separate from the Farm.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call on John Keefauver, residing thereon, or on the subscriber, residing in Gettysburg.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P.M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms make known by

JACOB BENNER,
Administrator with the will annexed.

July 13, 1857. ts

A Valuable Farm,
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE Subscriber, Executor of the last will and testament of JOHN HEMLER, Sr., deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 12th day of September next*, the following Real Estate of said deceased, viz:

A FARM,

situate in Mount-pleasant township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Moses Senft, Peter O'Neal, Daniel Kohler, and others, about 5 miles from Hanover and 3 from New Oxford, containing 82 ACRES, more or less, with good proportions of Meadow and Timber-land. The improvements are a Two-story Brick Dwelling HOUSE, Log Barn, and a Stone Spring House, (with a never-failing Spring to it,) and all necessary out-buildings; an Apple and Peach Orchard, with choice fruit of all kinds. The fences are good, mostly chestnut rails. The land is in first rate order, it having been nearly all limed within the last few years. About 10 Acres of good Woodland to the farm.

☞Persons wishing to view the property, are requested to call on John Hemler, Jr., residing thereon, or on the subscriber, residing in Oxford township.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JOSEPH J. SMITH,
Executor of John Hemler, Sr., dec'd.

Aug. 3, 1857. ts

Valuable Properties,
AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE subscriber, desiring to remove to the West, offers at Private Sale, his FARM, situate in Cumberland township, Adams co., on the road leading from Gettysburg to Fairfield, about 2 miles from the former place, adjoining lands of Geo. Culp, Frances Bream, and others, containing 153 ACRES, more or less, with due proportions of Meadow and Timber. The improvements consist of a two-story STONE HOUSE, a good Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, and all other necessary out-buildings; a never-failing well of water near the door of the dwelling, with an excellent spring near by, piped into the barn yard.—Also a first rate Apple Orchard, with other fruit, on the Farm. Fences good, and the land in fine cultivation.

Also, a Tract of Choice Land,

containing about 5 Acres, adjoining the above, with a comfortable two-story DWELLING, Stable, Shop, well of water, fruit trees, &c., thereon, making it a very desirable home.

Persons wishing to view the properties are requested to call on the undersigned, residing on the last named.

July 27. JOHN BUTT, Sr.

REAL ESTATE AT
Public Sale.

THE Subscriber, Executor of SAMUEL MUMMERT, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, *on Saturday, the 5th day of September next*,

A SMALL FARM,

(formerly occupied by said deceased,) situate in Hamilton township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Daniel Baker, John Bear, John Hartman, and others, containing 45 Acres, more or less. The land is under good cultivation and good fencing. The improvements consist of a two-story STONE HOUSE, Log Barn, Wagon Shed and Corn Crib, Spring House, and other out-buildings; two Springs and a good Apple Orchard on the premises.

Also at the same time and place, will be offered, A TRACT OF ABOUT SIX ACRES, half Woodland, situate about one mile from the above, on the Abbottstown Turnpike, adjoining lands of John Bepp, John Grove, and others.

☞Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon Mr. Mathias Mummert, residing on the first described.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

GEORGE MUMMERT, *Ex'r.*

Aug. 3, 1857. ts

Public Sale.

THE Subscriber will offer at Public Sale on the premises, *on Thursday, the 27th of August next*, the following property, viz:

A SMALL FARM,

situate in Franklin township, Adams county, containing 40 Acres, more or less. The improvements are a one and a half story LOG HOUSE, Log Barn, Shop, Spring House, &c. Also, the following PERSONAL PROPERTY, viz: 1 Horse, 4 head of Cattle, 7 Hogs, 1 Wagon, Plough, Horse Gears, Shovel Ploughs, (double and single:) Corn in the ground, Rye and Oats by the bushel, Potatoes; with all the Household and Kitchen Furniture, such as Beds and Bedding, Tables, Chairs, Bureau, Cupboard, Clock, Stove, Tubs and Pots.

☞Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day when attendance will be given and terms made known by

MICHAEL J. HENRY.

July 20, 1857. ts

Littlestown Railroad!

THE Fourth Monthly Instalment of Five Dollars per Share on the Stock subscribed, will be due and payable to the Treasurer of said Company, *on the 28th day of August inst.*

☞By a Resolution of the Board of Directors, passed on Saturday, 25th ult., all persons in arrears after that time will be charged interest at the rate of one per cent. a month on their back payments, in accordance with the Act of Assembly. E. F. SHORB,
Secretary of the Board.

Aug. 3, 1857. td

N. B.—Any of the Directors will receipt for payments on Stock.

PHILADELPHIA
Wood Moulding Mill,

Willow Street, above Twelfth, North Side.

MOULDINGS suitable for Carpenters, Builders, Cabinet and Frame Makers, worked from the best and thoroughly seasoned material, always on hand. Any pattern worked from a drawing.

The subscriber having purchased the entire interest, will continue the business with increased facilities.

Agents wanted in the various towns in this portion of the State, to whom opportunities will be offered for large profits to themselves.

SAMUEL B. HENRY.

July 20, 1857. 3m

BONNETS, Ribbons, Parasols and Shawls to be had very cheap at FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS.

WHY IS IT THAT
MARCUS SAMSON

CAN sell cheaper than anybody else?—Because he buys at auction, for cash.

Look at his Hats, that he sells hundreds of Gentlemen have bought and paid for such Hats from $3 50 to $4 00—but Samson sells them at $2 25. And why does he sell them so cheap? Because he bought at auction.

Look at his Boots and Shoes—look at his Gaiters—the same kind sold at other places at from $3 00 to $4 50, he sells at $1 87½ to $2 87½. And why? Because he bought at auction.

Look at his Clothing, and, in fact, everything in his line. He will sell a Coat, Pants and Vest, some linen and some cotton, for from $1 75 to $2 00 per full suit. And why? Because he bought them at auction.

Also, black Summer Cloth

One Dollar & Seventy-five Cents,

PAID IN ADVANCE,

Will Secure the Regular Visit of

"The Compiler,"

to the Home of any Family in the County.

ITS PERUSAL WILL

Afford Instruction and Amusement

FOR FATHERS,

MOTHERS, BROTHERS AND SISTERS,

OLD AND YOUNG,

MALE AND FEMALE.

No family should be without the Compiler.

☞$1.75 could be spent in no more profitable manner than by subscribing for the "COMPILER," which will furnish you with all the news of the day, the markets, the marriages and the deaths occurring in the community, with choice selections of literature, poetry, wit and humor, and all that will go to make up a first-rate Family Newspaper. Address the Editor and Proprietor, HENRY J. STABLE. May 18.

Carriages, Buggies, &c.

GOOD AND CHEAP!

THE undersigned would inform his friends and the public generally, that he continues the CARRIAGE-MAKING BUSINESS, in all its branches, at his establishment, in East Middle Street, (near the east end,) Gettysburg, Pa., where he has on hand a first-rate lot of work, and is prepared to put up to order whatever may be desired in his line, viz:—Rockaway and Boat-Body *Carriages; Falling-Top, Rockaway & Trotting Buggies, Jersey Wagons, &c.*

With good workmen and good materials, he can pledge his work to be of the best quality—and his prices are among the lowest.

☞Repairing done at short notice, and at reasonable rates. Country produce taken in exchange for work. Call!

JACOB TROXEL.

June 15, 1857.

TO THE COUNTRY.

GOOD NEWS.

I HAVE rented the Foundry for the ensuing year, and am prepared to make the different kinds of Castings usually made at a Foundry. I will keep constantly on hand the different kinds of PLOUGHS, Points, Shares, Cutters, &c.; Pots, Kettles, Pans, Washing Machines, &c.; Stoves and Machinery; Porches, Verandah's and Cemetery Fencing made and put up with dispatch.

All orders will be attended to promptly; but being without capital, and money being necessary to carry on the business, I will be compelled to sell for cash, but on all country work 5 per cent. will be deducted. Suitable trade will be taken, if delivered at the time of purchasing. Give us a call.

E. M. WARREN.

Gettysburg, June 1, 1857.

Attention, One and All!

NOW IS THE TIME

To Have Your Picture Taken.

SAMUEL WEAVER having provided himself with an entire new and splendid SKY-LIGHT DAGUERREAN ROOM at his residence in West Middle street, opposite Prof. Jacobs, one square West of Baltimore street, where he is now prepared to furnish

Ambrotypes and Daguerreotypes,

in every style of the art, which he will warrant to give entire satisfaction. His long experience and superior apparatus give him advantages seldom furnished by Daguerrean establishments out of the city. He has a large number of specimens at his Gallery, in Chambersburg street, where he will continue as heretofore, which the public are requested to call and examine.

☞Charges from 50 cents to $10. Hours of operating from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. Gold Lockets, Breastpins, suitable for miniatures, always on hand, at the very lowest prices.

☞Children will not be taken for less than $1 00.

☞AMBROTYPES taken from one dollar and upwards, and in the best style.

July 20, 1856. tf

Bringman & Aughinbaugh,

STILL AHEAD!

WE are just receiving a *new* lot of **Hats, Caps, Boots & Shoes**—of the very latest Spring styles, and intend selling at small profits. Call and see them before purchasing elsewhere. Remember the place, Paxton's old stand, Chambersburg street. March 23.

Hanover R. Railroad.

TRAINS over the Hanover Branch Railroad now run as follows:

First Train leaves Hanover at 9 A. M., with Passengers for York, Harrisburg, Columbia and Philadelphia. This Train also connects with the Express for Baltimore, arriving there at 12 M.

Second Train leaves at 2.15 P. M., with Passengers for Baltimore and intermediate places, and returns with passengers from York, &c.

Aug. 3. J. LEIB, Agent.

Removed to Hanover.

FRANCIS J. WILSON, late of the Washington House at Abbottstown, has taken HERSHEY'S OLD AND POPULAR STAND, in Hanover, where he will be happy to entertain all who may patronize him. His Table is supplied with the best the market and garden can afford, and his Bar with the choicest of liquors. His Stables are commodious, and attended by careful Ostlers. Give him a call. You will always find FRANK, on the spot, ready and willing to make everybody comfortable. [April 27, 1857.

Cigars and Tobacco.

A LOT of extra fine Cigars, of choice brands, very superior Cavindish, Congress, and Natural-leaf Tobacco, for sale by

E. H. MINNIGH.

QUEENS-WARE, Cedar-ware and endless variety of Household articles, to be had very cheap at FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS.

QUEENSWARE, China, Glass and Stoneware—a large assortment and selling cheap, at COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

A FACT.—MONEY SAVED by buying your Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes at

Bringman & Aughinbaugh's.

MEN'S and Boys' Boots, Shoes, Gaiters and Slippers, of all kinds, and at all prices, as cheap as the cheapest, at

COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

MUSIC.—Violins, Flutes, Guitars, Accordeons, Harmonicans,—in short, from a Seraphima down to a Jew's Harp—now on hand and for sale at SAMSON'S.

MEN'S and Boys' SUMMER HATS of all kinds, to wit:—Straw, Chip, Braid, Panama, Otter Skin, Fur and Wool at all prices, according to quality, at

May 18. COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

MISSES' and Children's Flats of all kinds and at very low prices at

COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

FRUITS and Confections, nice and fresh, just from the city, to be had at

GILLESPIE & THOMAS'.

LADIES' LIGHT KID BOOTS.—A fine assortment of Kid Boots both for Ladies and Misses, just received and for sale by

July 20. 1t WM. BOYER.

WALKING CANES, for gentlemen, of various kinds, just received by

Bringman & Aughinbaugh.

CANDLES AT 16 CENTS.—A first rate article of Mould Candles can be had, at 16 cents per pound, at NORBECK'S, Kerr's old corner.

FLOUR, CORN & OATS bought at all times by J. NORBECK, corner of Baltimore and High streets.

GROCERIES.—A fresh supply of Molasses, Sugar and Coffee, just received and for sale cheap by E. H. MINNIGH.

LADIES Gaiters, Buskins, and Sandles for sale cheap at

BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH'S.

SHERIFFALTY.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—Encouraged by numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF at the next election, (subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.) Should I be nominated and elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of the office with promptness and fidelity.

ISAAC LIGHTNER.

Mountjoy tp., April 6, 1857.

SHERIFFALTY.

FELLOW-CITIZENS of Adams county:—I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF at the October election, (subject to the Democratic nomination.) If I should be so lucky as to be nominated and be elected, I shall pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office with sobriety and fidelity.

SAMUEL SPANGLER.

Mountpleasant tp., April 20, 1857.

SHERIFFALTY.

TO the Voters of Adams county: Encouraged by numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF at the next election, (subject to the American Republican County Convention.) Should I be elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of the office with promptness and fidelity.

ISAAC LEEPER.

Cumberland twp., April 13, 1857.

PROTHONOTARY.

WE are authorized to announce that Dr. C. E. GOLDSBOROUGH, of Hunterstown, will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary—subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention—at the ensuing election.

June 15, 1857.

REGISTER & RECORDER.

TO the Independent Voters of Adams co.—Fellow Citizens:—The undersigned offers himself to your consideration as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder of Adams county, (subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention,) and respectfully solicits your support and suffrages. Should I be nominated and elected, my endeavours shall be to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and impartiality.

JOHN L. GUBERNATOR.

Conowago tp., April 27, 1857.

REGISTER & RECORDER.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—At the solicitation of numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of Register & Recorder, at the next election, (subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.) Should I be nominated and elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

WM. OVERDEER.

Bendersville, June 8, 1857.

REGISTER & RECORDER.

TO the Voters of Adams County.—Fellow citizens: Being encouraged by numerous friends, I offer myself to your consideration as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder at the next election, (subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention.) And should I receive the nomination and be elected, I shall duly appreciate your confidence, and promise to discharge the duties of the office promptly and with fidelity.

Your obedient servant.

ZACHARIAH MYERS.

Tyrone tp., April 27, 1857.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—Fellow-Citizens:—Encouraged by the solicitations of numerous friends, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention. Should I be honored with your confidence and elected, I pledge my best efforts to a faithful and impartial administration of the duties of the office. DAVID McCREARY.

Gettysburg, July 6, 1857.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.

TO the voters of Adams county:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of REGISTER AND RECORDER, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention. Should I be nominated and elected, I pledge myself to a faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of the office.

ALEXANDER COBEAN.

Gettysburg, Aug. 3, 1857.

CLERK OF THE COURTS.

TO THE VOTERS OF ADAMS COUNTY.—The undersigned, at the solicitations of numerous friends, offers himself to your consideration as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Courts, at the next election, (subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.) Should I be nominated and elected, the people may rely upon a faithful discharge of duty on my part.

GEORGE BUSHMAN.

Cumberland twp., June 29, 1857.

CLERK OF THE COURTS.

AT the solicitation of numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Courts, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. Should I be so fortunate as to receive the nomination and be elected, I pledge myself to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability. HENRY G. WOLF.

Gettysburg, Aug. 3, 1857.

CLERK OF THE COURTS.

TO the Voters of Adams county:—I offer myself as a candidate for Clerk of the Courts. Should I be nominated and elected I pledge myself to a prompt and faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

WILLIAM YOUNG.

Mountjoy twp., Aug. 3, 1857.

Wm. B. M'Clellan,

Attorney at Law.

OFFICE on the south side of the Public Square, 2 doors west of the Sentinel office. Gettysburg, August 22, 1853.

D. M'Conaughy,

Attorney at Law,

(Office removed to one door West of Buehler's Drug & Book-store, Chambersburg street,)

Attorney & Solicitor for Patents and Pensions,

BOUNTY Land Warrants, Back-pay suspended Claims, and all other claims against the Government at Washington, D. C.; also American claims in England. Land Warrants located and sold, or bought, and highest prices given. Agents engaged in locating warrants in Iowa, Illinois and other Western States.

☞Apply to him personally or by letter.

Gettysburg, Nov. 21, 1853.

Edw. B. Buehler,

Attorney at Law,

WILL faithfully and promptly attend to all business entrusted to him. He speaks the German language. Office at the same place, in South Baltimore street, near Forney's drug store, and nearly opposite Danner & Ziegler's store.

Gettysburg, March 20.

J. Lawrence Hill, M. D.,

DENTIST.

HAS his Office one door west of the Lutheran church, in Chambersburg street, and opposite Grammer's store, where those wishing to have any **Dental Operation** performed are respectfully invited to call.

REFERENCES: Dr. D. Gilbert, Dr. C. N. Berlachy, Dr. D. Horner, Rev. C. P. Krauth, D. D., Rev. H. L. Baugher, D. D., Rev. Prof. William M. Reynolds, Rev. Prof. M. Jacobs, Prof. M. L. Stover.

Gettysburg, April 11, 1853. tf

2,000 PIECES OF WALL PAPER just received and for sale at

COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

JUST IN SEASON

AND NEVER OUT OF SEASON!

FARMERS, read this, and then come and buy, for we still have "a few more left!" The subscriber takes this method of calling the attention of the public in general to that valuable piece of machinery, styled

Hersh's Patent Hay Hoister and Manure Excavator.

Having the right of all Adams county, he will sell either machines or township rights.

H. G. CARR.

☞Also, at the same place, you can be accommodated with as fine BUGGIES as can be got up in the State for the same money—constantly kept on hand.

Repairing done, neatly and cheaply, at short notice. All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for work.

Gettysburg, May 18, 1857. 6m

REMOVAL.

Alex. Frazer, Watch and Clock-maker,

HAS removed his shop to Carlisle street, below Hoke's store, where he will always be happy to attend to the calls of customers. Thankful for past favors, he hopes, by strict attention to business and a desire to please, to merit and receive the patronage of the public.

Gettysburg, May 18, 1857.

James Brown's

GRAMMATICAL WORKS.

THE FIRST BOOK of the Rational System of English Grammar. 25 cts.

THE SECOND BOOK of the Rational System of English Grammar, designed to teach the process of Analysing the English Language with sound judgment; and the art of using it with grammatical propriety. 31 cts.

These works are now used in the Public Schools in the First School District of Pennsylvania.

THE THIRD BOOK of the Rational System of English Grammar, designed to enable the learner to be one most thoroughly acquainted with the nature and use of the PREPOSITIONS, and may be read by him either in or out of school. 50 cts.

BROWN'S GRAMMATICAL READER. This Book sets aside the old Grammars, exposes their defects, demonstrates the little use of attending to them, and presents to the Teacher the unerring and only way to the Grammar of the English Language. 37½ cts.

For sale by PETER GRIFFEE, 118 ARCH Street, Philadelphia.

March 2, 1857. 6m

Important Discovery.

CONSUMPTION

And all Diseases of the Lungs and Throat are Positively Curable by Inhalation,

WHICH conveys the remedies to the cavities in the lungs through the air passages, and coming in direct contact with the disease, neutralizes the tubercular matter, allays the cough, causes a free and easy expectoration, heals the lungs, purifies the blood, imparts renewed vivality to the nervous system, giving that tone and energy so indispensable for the restoration of health. To be able to state confidently that Consumption is curable by inhalation, is to me a source of unalloyed pleasure. It is as much under the control of medical treatment as any other formidable disease: ninety out of every hundred cases can be cured in the first stages, and fifty per cent. in the second; but in the third stage it is impossible to save more than five per cent, for the Lungs are so cut up by the disease as to bid defiance to medical skill.—Even, however, in the last stages, Inhalation affords extraordinary relief to the suffering attending this fearful scourge, which annually destroys ninety-five thousand persons in the United States alone: and a correct calculation shows that of the present population of the earth, eighty millions are destined to fill the Consumptive's grave.

Truly the quiver of death has no arrow so fatal as Consumption. In all ages it has been the great enemy of life, for it spares neither age nor sex, but sweeps off alike the brave, the beautiful, the graceful and the gifted. By the help of that Supreme Being from whom cometh every good and perfect gift, I am enabled to offer to the afflicted a permanent and speedy cure in Consumption. The first cause of tubercles is from impure blood, and the immediate effect produced by their deposition in the lungs is to prevent the free admission of air into the air cells, which causes a weakened vitality through the entire system. Then surely it is more rational to expect greater good from medicines entering the cavities of the lungs than from those administered through the stomach: the patient will always find the lungs free and the breathing easy, after Inhaling remedies. Thus, Inhalation is a local remedy, nevertheless it acts constitutionally, and with more power and certainty than remedies administered by the stomach. To prove the powerful and direct influence of this mode of administration, chloroform inhaled will entirely destroy sensibility in a few minutes, paralyzing the entire nervous system, so that a limb may be amputated without the slightest pain: inhaling the ordinary burning gas will destroy life in a few hours.

The inhalation of ammonia will rouse the system when fainting or apparently dead.—The odor of many of the medicines is perceptible in the skin a few minutes after being inhaled, and may be immediately detected in the blood. A convincing proof of the constitutional effects of inhalation, is the fact that sickness is always produced by breathing foul air—is not this positive evidence that proper remedies, carefully prepared and judiciously administered through the lungs should produce the happiest results? During eighteen years' practice, many thousands suffering from diseases of the lungs and throat, have been under my care, and I have effected many remarkable cures, even after the sufferers had been pronounced in the last stages, which fully satisfies me that consumption is no longer a fatal disease. My treatment of consumption is original, and founded on long experience and a thorough investigation. My perfect acquaintance with the nature of tubercles, &c., enables me to distinguish readily, the various forms of disease that simulate consumption, and apply the proper remedies, rarely being mistaken even in a single case. This familiarity, in connection with certain pathological and microscopic discoveries, enables me to relieve the lungs from the effects of contracted chests, to enlarge the chest, purify the blood, impart to it renewed vitality, giving energy and tone to the entire system.

Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States and Canadas by patients communicating their symptoms by letter. But the cure would be more certain if the patient should pay me a visit, which would give me an opportunity to examine the lungs and enable me to prescribe with much greater certainty, and then the cure could be effected without my seeing the patient again.

G. W. GRAHAM, M. D.,

Office, 1131 *Filbert St.*, (*old No.* 169,) *below* 12*th*,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

July 20, 1857. 1y

Bounty Land Claims.

THE undersigned will attend promptly to the collection of claims for Bounty Lands under the late act of Congress. Those who have already received 40 or 80 acres, can now receive the balance, by calling on the subscriber and making the necessary application.

JOEL B. DANNER.

Gettysburg, March 12, 1855. tf

Flour for Sale.

IF you want a good barrel of Flour, call at HOKE'S STORE, as he has made arrangements to have always the best, which he will sell at 25 cents advance.

May 5. JOHN HOKE.

Candles and Soap.

SPERM, Adamantine, Patent and Mould Candles, Castile, Olive, Home-made, Eureka, Variegated, and Rosin Soaps, for sale by E. H. MINNIGH.

ALWAYS ON HAND.—Silk and Soft Hats of every description, and for sale cheap at BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH'S.

THE FARMERS' & MECHANICS'

Savings Institution of Adams Co.

THIS Institution receives deposites for which it pays interest as follows:

For over 10 months, 4 per cent. per annum. For 3 and not over 10 months, 3 per cent. per annum. For transient deposites, not less than 30 days, 2 per cent. per annum, payable on demand without notice.

A joint fund (capital) of $10,000 has been paid in.

For loans apply on Wednesday.

Sums received on deposite as low as a dime. Interest to be allowed whenever the deposites amount to $5,00, and on each addnional $5,00 and upwards.

Office in South West Corner of Public Square, next to George Arnold's store. Open daily from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., and for receiving deposites every Saturday, from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

President,
GEORGE THRONE.
Treasurer & Secretary,
GEORGE ARNOLD.
Directors,

John Brough,	John Horner,
Samuel Durboraw,	George Arnold,
A. Heintzelman,	Jacob Musselman,
D. McCreary,	D. McConaughy,
William Culp,	John Mickley,
Robert Horner,	John Throne.

April 6, 1857.

New Hardware Store.

THE subscribers would respectfully announce to their friends and the public that they have opened a Hardware Store, in Baltimore street, adjoining the residence of David Ziegler, Gettysburg, in which they always intend to offer to the public a large and general assortment of

Hardware, Iron, Steel, Groceries,

CUTLERY, COACH TRIMMINGS,

SPRINGS, AXLES,

SADDLERY,

Cedar-ware, Shoe Findings,

Paints, Oils, and Dyestuffs,

in general including every description of articles in the above line of business, to which they invite the attention of Coach-makers, Blacksmiths, Carpenters, Cabinet-makers, Shoe-makers, Saddlers, and the public generally. Our stock having been selected with great care and purchased for cash, we guarantee (for the ready money,) to dispose of any part of it on as reasonable terms as they can be purchased anywhere.

We particularly request a call from our friends, and earnestly solicit a share of public favor, as we are determined to establish a character for selling Goods at low prices and doing business on fair principles.

JOEL B. DANNER,
DAVID ZIEGLER.

Gettysburg, June 9, 1851. tf

JUST FROM THE CITY,

With a Larger Stock than Ever!

JACOB NORBECK has just received from the city a large stock of GROCERIES, FISH, &c.,—the largest he has yet offered to the public, and which he is now opening, at his new location, *Kerr's Corner*, on Baltimore street. Give him a call! You will find his

Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Salt, Teas,

and everything else, the best and the cheapest to be had in town—he having bought at low rates, and being determined to sell fast at small profits. Recollect, Kerr's old corner, Baltimore and High Streets.

Gettysburg, May 11, 1857.

REMOVAL,

AND NEW FIRM.

THE undersigned respectfully inform their friends and the public in general, that they have commenced the Cabinet and Chair-making business, in Baltimore street, near Middle, where they will manufacture all kinds of FURNITURE, such as Dressing and Common Bureaus, Tables of various descriptions, Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Stands, and every other article in their line—ALL of the best workmanship and good materials, which will enable them to warrant their work. Also, every variety of CHAIRS.

COFFINS made at short notice, and in the various styles.

House Painting and Papering attended to, and done in the best manner.

Their prices will be as low as the lowest, as all who may patronize them will acknowledge.

☞Lumber and country produce taken in exchange for work.

NORBECK & REILLEY.

Gettysburg, Feb. 23, 1857. 1y

Health or Sickness?

CHOOSE BETWEEN THEM.

Holloway's Pills.—The blood furnishes the material of every bone, muscle, gland and fibre in the human frame. When pure, it secures health to every organ; when corrupt, it necessarily produces disease. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS operate directly upon the elements of the stream of life, neutralizing the principle of disease, and thus radically curing the malady, whether located in the nerves, the stomach, the liver, the bowels, the muscles, the skin, the brain, or any other part of the system.

Used Throughout the World!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS are equally efficacious in complaints common to the whole human race, and in disorders peculiar to certain climates and localities.

Warming Disorders.

Dyspepsia, and derangement of the liver, the source of infirmity and suffering, and the cause of innumerable deaths, yield to these curatives in all cases, however aggravated, acting as a mild purgative, alterative and tonic; they relieve the bowels, purify the fluids, and invigorate the system and the constitution at the same time.

General Weakness—Nervous Complaints.

When all stimulants fail, the renovating and bracing properties of these Pills give firmness to the shaking nerves and enfeebled muscles of the victim of general debility.

In cases of the fracture of bones, injuries caused by steam explosions, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Rheumatism, Stiffness of the Joints, and contraction of the sinews, it is employed and warmly recommended by the faculty. This marvelous remedy has been introduced by its inventor in person into all the leading Hospitals of Europe, and no private household should be without it.

Undeniable Testimony.

The Medical Staff of the French and English Armies in the Crimea have officially signed their approval of Holloway's Ointment, as the most reliable dressing for sabre cuts, stabs, and gun-wounds. It is also used by the surgeons of the Allied Navies.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bunions	Rheumatism	Sore Throats
Burns	Ringworm	Sores of all kinds
Chapped Hands	Salt Rheum	Sprains
Chilblains	Scalds	Stiff Joints
Fistula	Skin Diseases	Tetter
Gout	Swelled Glands	Ulcers
Lumbago	Sore Legs	Venereal Sores
Mercurial Eruptions	Sore Breasts	Wounds of all kinds
Piles	Sore Heads	

***Sold at the Manufactories of Professor HOLLOWAY, 80 Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London, by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicine throughout the United States and the civilized world, in pots, at 25 cents, 62½ cents, and $1 each.

☞There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each pot.

☞**Caution!**—None are genuine unless the words "*Holloway, New York and London,*" are discernable as a *water-mark* in every leaf of the book of directions around each pot or box; the same may be plainly seen by *holding the leaf to the light.* A handsome reward will be given to any one rendering such information as may lead to the detection of any party or parties counterfeiting the medicines or vending the same, knowing them to be spurious.

Sept. 1, 1856. eowly

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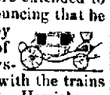
4 BOXES Oranges and Lemons, in Store, and will be sold cheaper than anywhere else. Call and see at

E. H. MINNIGH'S.

TWO DAILY LINES

TO HANOVER.

EXTRA ACCOMMODATIONS.—The undersigned returns his thanks to the public for the encouragement heretofore extended to him, and takes pleasure in announcing that he has completed arrangements by which TWO DAILY LINES of Coaches will run between Gettysburg and Hanover, to connect with the trains to and from Baltimore, York, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, &c. Persons desiring tickets or information will call on the undersigned, or on CHARLES TATE, Ticket Agent, at the Eagle Hotel, in Chambersburg street.



☞Special attention given to all packages, &c., or other business entrusted to the undersigned between Gettysburg and Hanover, which will be promptly and carefully attended to.

☞The undersigned has also effected arrangements by which he will be able to supply Coaches, Stages, &c., for Funerals and other occasions, at moderate charges.

NICHOLAS WEAVER.

Gettysburg, April 13, 1857.

Stauffer & Harley.

Cheap Watches and Jewelry,

WHOLESALE and Retail, at the Philadelphia Watch and Jewelry Store, No. 96 North Second street, corner of Quarry, Philadelphia.

Gold Lever Watches, full jeweled, 18 carat cases, $28 00; Gold Lepines, 10 carat, $24 00; Silver Levers, full jeweled, $12 00; Silver Lepines, jewels, $9 00; superior Quartiers, $7 00 Gold Spectacles, $7 00; fine Silver do. $1 50; Gold Bracelets, $3 00; Ladies' Gold Pencils, $1 00; Silver Tea Spoons, set, $5 00; Gold Pens, with pencil and silver holder, $1 00.

Gold Finger Rings, 37½ cents to $80; Watch Glasses, plain, 12½ cents; patent 18¾; Lunet 25; other articles in proportion. All goods warranted to be what they are sold for.

STAUFFER & HARLEY.

On hand, some gold and silver Levers and Lepines, still lower than the above prices.

Oct. 20, 1856. 1y

Tailoring.

Removed a Few Doors South of the Old Stand.

J. H. SKELLY respectfully informs his old customers and the public generally, that he continues the *TAILORING BUSINESS*, near his old stand, in South Baltimore street, where he will be happy to accommodate all who may patronize him. All work entrusted to his care warranted to fit and be of most substantial make. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a continuance of public patronage.

☞*The New York Spring and Summer Fashions* are received. Call and see them.

Gettysburg, April 9, 1855.

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10 Per Cent. Interest.

A NEW SAVINGS INSTITUTION.—If you want to invest your money with a certain return of good interest, and at the same time furnish to your families that which will be profitable and useful—buy all your Goods at **Fahnestocks' Cheap Store.** They have received, and are constantly adding every thing new and desirable to their stock.

April 27, 1857. tf

New Millinery.

MISS LOUISA KATE LITTLE wishes to inform the Ladies of town and country, that she is now prepared to execute Millinery in all its branches, in West Middle street, a few doors below Mr. George Little's store.—Work done cheaper than elsewhere in town. Please call and see.

April 21, 1856.

Diamond Tonsor.

JOHN W. TIPTON, *Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser*, can at all times be found prepared to attend to the calls of the people, at the *Temple*, in the Diamond, adjoining the County Building. From long experience, he flatters himself that he can go through all the ramifications of the **Tonsorial Department** with such an infinite degree of skill, as will meet with the entire satisfaction of all who may submit their chins to the keen ordeal of his razors. He hopes, therefore, that by his attention to business, and a desire to please, he will merit as well as receive a liberal share of public patronage. The sick will be attended to at their private dwellings.

Gettysburg, Jan. 8, 1855. tf

The Ladies

WILL find it to their advantage to call at Fahnestock Brothers, and see their large and cheap stock of Silks, Challis, Lawns, Ducals, Tamartines, Delanes, Calicoes, Ginghams, &c., which are selling cheap, at

FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS,

Sign of the Red Front.

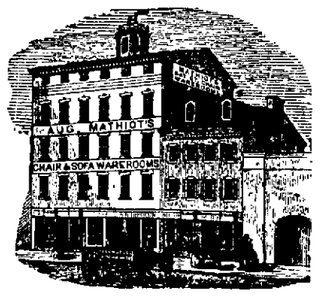
April 13, 1857.

Flour! Flour!

THE undersigned continues the Flour business as heretofore. He sells by the barrel or any smaller quantity. By taking SMALL PROFITS he can buy as high and sell as low as anybody else, and by always endeavoring to keep none but the best, he hopes to merit and receive a continuance of liberal patronage.

WM. GILLESPIE.

Oct. 8, 1855. At the Post Office.



THE LARGEST

Chair & Furniture Establishment

In Baltimore.

MATHIOT'S GAY ST. WAREROOMS, *No. 25 North Gay street*, near Fayette, where are kept always on hand, or made to order, every style of French TETE-A-TETES, in Plush, Hair, Cloth or Brocatelle.

French Full Stuff and Medallion Parlor ARM CHAIRS, in Plush, Hair, Cloth or Brocatelle.

French Full Stuff Carved PARLOR CHAIRS, in sets, with Plush, Hair, Cloth or Brocatelle.

SOFAS, half French Spring Mahogany, and Walnut Parlor CHAIRS, in Hair, Cloth or Plush.

ROCKING CHAIRS—various designs, in Hair, Cloth and Plush.

Staff Spring LOUNGES—a large assortment always on hand, or any pattern made or covered with any goods to order.

CHAMBER SUITS—in Mahogany or Walnut, complete, from $34 up.

CANE CHAIRS and Rocking do.—the largest assortment ready made in any one house in the United States—from $12 a dozen up.

Bar Room, Office and Dining CHAIRS, in Oak, Walnut or Mahogany, with Cane, Wood or Stuffed Seats—an assortment embracing over 50 dozen.

Wood seat CHAIRS and SETTEES and Rocking Chairs—over 100 dozen.

A. MATHIOT, 25 North Gay Street, near Fayette street.

May 18, 1857. 1y

EIGHT-DAY, Thirty-hour and Alarm Clocks and Time-pieces, Watches, and a fine lot of Jewelry, at SAMSON'S.

BOOTS AND SHOES made to order, of the best material, and by good workmen.—Call at *Bringman & Aughinbaugh's.*

SILVER.—A fine lot of Silver Spoons and Silver Forks, as low as city prices, now to be had at SCHICK'S. Call soon, as they sell rapidly.

A LARGE lot of SUMMER CLOTHING, selling at very small profits at

COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

To Those Who Want Farms.

A FARM WITHIN THE REACH OF EVERY MAN.

THE RIDGWAY FARM COMPANY has made arrangements by which all who desire to settle or purchase a home can do so.

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